THE WEATHER

Rain or snow late tonight and warmer; Tuesday rain and warmer; light easterly to southerly winds increasing and becoming southwest Tuesday.

THE LOWELL SUN

5 O'CLOCK

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FIREMAN CRUSHED

Daniel F. Conroy Struck in Head by Falling Chimney

A FALLING CHIMNEY CRUSHES THE SKULL OF A BRAVE FIREMAN.

Now Unconscious at Hospital—His Condition Considered Very Critical

Daniel F. Conroy, a hoseman connected with hose company 9 of Lincoln street, Ayer's City, while fighting a fire in East Chelmsford early this morning, was struck by a falling chimney and sustained a fractured skull. He was removed in the ambulance to St. John's hospital, where he now lies in a precarious condition. While strong hopes are entertained for his recovery, his condition at this writing is such that his life is hanging by a thread.

Lieutenant G. H. Chapman of hose 9 was struck by the falling bricks and had one shoulder and arm badly hurt, while his face was also bruised. Hoseman Charles J. Meehan of truck company No. 1, in Lawrence street, had one of his feet crushed. Other firemen who were fighting the flames from the end of the house had narrow escapes from being injured.

The fire occurred in the house of Silas P. Welch in Gorham street, just over the city line, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gale and family. The building was practically destroyed, the fire having been caused by an overheated chimney.

Shortly before 2 o'clock this morning Mr. Gale was awakened by a strong odor of smoke which permeated his room and upon arising from bed and

DANIEL F. CONROY, The Injured Fireman.

investigating found a lively blaze in progress on the second floor, where a stove had become overheated and communicated with the walls close to the chimney. The house was filled with smoke and there was hardly time to attempt to extinguish the flames so Mr. Gale notified his wife and rushing into the room where his little children were sleeping carried them to the street. In the [illegible] and then assisted his wi[fe] [illegible] by the [illegible] Smith, who lives [illegible] a telephone alarm to [illegible] of the local department [illegible] despatched four pieces of [illegible].

Screams [illegible] neighbors in the vicinity who [illegible] on the scene and assisted [illegible] furniture.

When the fire [illegible] arrived on the scene the [illegible] one mass of flames and the [illegible] which had been removed [illegible] house had been placed where [illegible] hampered the work of the firemen. A steamer was stationed at the [illegible] in Lowell and owing to the [illegible] that the water had to travel [illegible] the hose from the hydrant to the [illegible] the pressure was very low.

A ladder was [illegible] at the side of the house facing [illegible] and a number of the firemen were ordered to mount the ladder with a line of hose. Hoseman Conroy was the first man to mount the ladder with the nozzle, and he was followed by several other men. After a few minutes on the ladder the roof fell in with a crash and as further work on the ladder was considered useless the men started to descend.

Just as the men reached the bottom of the ladder the chimney, which was left without support when the roof fell in, crashed to the ground, the bricks scattering in all directions. A piece of the chimney containing many bricks, struck Hoseman Conroy on the head, felling him to the ground while Lieut. Chapman and Hoseman Meehan were also struck, but not so seriously hurt.

Despite the fact that Hoseman Conroy had his heavy helmet on the weight of the bricks smashed the helmet. He was rendered unconscious by the blow. In an instant half a dozen firemen were at work removing the debris from Conroy's body and he was removed to a place of safety. He was covered with blood and all attempts to revive him were fruitless. Conroy was then carried to a nearby house and the ambulance was summoned.

Upon the arrival of the ambulance Dr. Sullivan worked over the victim of the accident for some time and then ordered him to St. John's hospital. The trip was made in fast time. Conroy did not recover consciousness.

The loss to the building was practically complete, though the lower floor was not entirely burned out. The fire started on the upper floor and worked in all directions.

Mr. Gale was nearly overcome by the experience which he had gone through but stated to a representative that the strong odor of smoke awakened him. He said: "The blaze was too large to cope with and I had to escape with my family. Most of the furniture was saved."

The Gale children were none the worse for their experience.

Fred C. Church had the insurance on Mr. Gale's property.

RESTING COMFORTABLY.

Daniel F. Conroy, the fireman who was injured in an early morning fire in Gorham street, is resting as comfortably as can be expected. Conroy was operated upon by Dr. Meigs shortly after his arrival at St. John's hospital. At one o'clock this afternoon Dr. O'Sullivan of St. John's hospital said that Conroy was resting comfortably. He is conscious and is not suffering great pain. Doctor O'Sullivan said it was rather early to presage as to the result but he seemed rather hopeful. Conroy is a robust man and has youth on his side.

FEBRUARY IS QUARTER MONTH AT THE WASHINGTON SAVINGS INSTITUTION 267 Central Street OVER LOWELL TRUST CO.

LOCK BOXES SECURITY MIDDLESEX TRUST CO. 160 MERRIMACK STREET

THAT CREMATOR

The fight over the Decarle cremator which has been waged for the past several weeks will undoubtedly come to a head this week when the whole business will be settled and the Decarle Co. will receive a check for $10,000.

The trouble over the cremator has been rehearsed through the newspaper columns several times, so it is unnecessary to go into detail. The lease of the land owned by Mr. Connors has been made out in a satisfactory manner and as soon as the formalities have been gone through with City Solicitor Hill will notify City Treasurer Stiles to pay the bill.

City Treasurer Stiles was in conference with City Solicitor Hill last week and the latter notified the former not to pay the bill until he gave his sanction, though the formalities are now nearly completed and it is expected that bill will be settled this week.

REQUISITION FOR PLANTS.

A communication calling for bids on 268 potted plants for the park commission has been posted in the office of the purchasing agent. The plants are to be delivered when wanted and where wanted. All plants must be A No. 1 in every respect. Proposals will be received until Thursday.

The reason for posting the bids so early this year is owing to the fact that the plants are being slipped at this time of the year. The plants, however, will not be delivered until about the first of June and will be immediately transferred from the pots to beds. They will be distributed to the different parks in the city with the exception of the north and south commons and squares.

BOARD OF CHARITIES.

Despite the fact that it has been stated that the new superintendent of charities will not be elected tonight, it is the intention of the board to transact as much business as possible tonight, and it is said that Martin J. Courtney will be elected superintendent.

TAX DEMANDS ISSUED.

The demands sent out from the city treasurer's office last week to the delinquents in ward one had the effect of sending in about 250 taxpayers. The demands for the different wards are being sent out as soon as completed.

OAKLAND SEWER.

It is expected that work on the Oakland sewer will be completed Saturday night. While the entire system will not be completed by that time, it is deemed advisable to stop the work this week.

GYPSY MOTH NESTS.

The employes of the street department destroyed 501 gypsy moth nests on the Pawtucket boulevard during the past week.

THE WORKHOUSE

Woman Wanted to Go There

BUT WENT TO JAIL INSTEAD

Light Docket for a Monday Morning

"Please send me to the workhouse, please do, your honor, I will receive better treatment there than at the jail."

It was Eva L. O'Brien who spoke and she was addressing Judge Hadley.

"I would be pleased to send you to the workhouse, madam," said the court, "but unfortunately we have no workhouse." The woman was sentenced to ten months in the common jail.

The docket this morning was an exceptionally light one, thirteen drunken offenders having been released yesterday and today.

Miles Haegel, a Maynard man, was released yesterday morning and he said he would make tracks for Maynard as fast as his feet would carry him. Last night he was taken to the police station in an advanced stage of intoxication. Today he was sentenced to ten days in jail.

Thomas F. Brady and Joseph Fortcault, two old offenders, were sentenced to three months each in the common jail. Patrick Fitzgerald and Mary Maloney were fined $6 each. Three Sunday drunks were taxed the usual fine and four first offenders were fined $2 each.

William Quigley, a boy, was charged with the larceny of newspapers from Buckley Bros.' store in Central street and he was ordered in $100 until Friday morning.

HOSPITAL INMATE STRAYED AWAY.

Mary Sousedo, 25, an inmate of the hospital for the insane at Tewksbury strayed away from that institution Saturday afternoon and about 1 o'clock Sunday morning Officer Lindsey found her wandering aimlessly about in the Lowlands. She was taken to the police station and yesterday afternoon she was returned to Tewksbury.

BOY LEFT HOME

Said He Wanted to Help His Mother

Because he wanted to relieve his poor mother of a portion of her responsibility, thirteen-year-old Eliot Joyal left his home in West Kenwood on January 8, and he is still absent from his home. His mother called at the police station yesterday and reported the boy's disappearance and she had with her a copy of a letter that Eliot wrote to her the day before he went away. In his letter to his mother Eliot wrote:

"I will pray for you, and in some other way will show you that I am one who loves my mother. You know that you are working very hard in the Merrimack and that you get but $6 a week. You pay $2 for your own board and $2 for mine and besides that you have to pay carfare. All this is very hard for you and I guess that if I get out and go to work somewhere it will be a great blessing to all of us."

That boy will probably "make good" as the phrase runs wherever he goes. He means all right, so his mother need not worry.

DEATHS

CUTTING—Berton W. Cutting, a resident of this city for the last ten years, died at his home, 22 Rockdale avenue, yesterday, aged 82 years and 9 months. He leaves a brother, Erastus, of Epping, N. H.

FINN—Mrs. Elizabeth Finn, aged 49 years, died yesterday at her home, 43 East Merrimack street. She is survived by a daughter, Miss Mary O'Brien, a brother, Patrick Sullivan, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Forham of Wellsville, N. Y. The remains were taken to the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

If you want help at home, or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

READY TO START

Fitchburg Line Needs Only Permission

[illegible] Fitchburg and Lowell street [railway] is now ready to operate its [cars] with only the permission of [the] railroad commissioners to start. [The] new road receives its power from [the] power house of the Boston & Northern, big feed wires having been [strung] by Contractor P. Cogger from [the] power house to Forge Village where there is a transmitting station. The company has a car barn at Ayer Junction.

TEARING IT DOWN

Barrister's Hall Being Razed to Ground

The walls of old Barristers hall are being razed to the ground today and the work of tearing down the old structure attracted great attention from passersby. The work is being done by Contractor John Simpson who also has the disposal of the old lumber.

The interior was stripped last week and only the walls now remain to come down.

Mr. Simpson is finding a ready sale for the second-hand material owing to the scarcity of new lumber at the present time.

It is amusing to stand near the job and hear the comments of the spectators watching the work.

"They won't get that down in a year the way they're going. Why down in Boston they'd have it down in a night."

"If I was doing that job I'd do thus and so."

Another man evidently from the north country remarked "De trouble wid dat job is she's got too much boss." About everyone who went by the job while the reporter stood there had some similar comment or advice to advance though meanwhile the building was growing less like a building every minute.

NEW POLICE BILL

Rumor Attributes It to Rep. Grant

Rep. Albert F. Grant when asked by a reporter of The Sun, this forenoon, if he knew of any bills affecting Lowell that would be introduced in the legislature this week, replied: "I haven't heard of any as yet. This is the last week for filing them and of course many bills from all parts of the state will go in, probably some of local interest, though I have not heard of any as yet."

Yet there is a report on the street that Rep. Grant will introduce a bill providing for the appointment of Lowell's police commissioners by the governor henceforth.

All the members of the legislature are envious of those who were appointed on the committee on banks and banking for with the recent developments this committee promises to be one of the most important and one of the busiest of the session. Rep. Barry of this city is a member of the committee on banks and banking. He is also a member of the committee on prisons which started in with a meeting last Saturday.

BROKERS FAILED

Owing to Speculation of An Employe

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 15.—P. R. Caley & company, stock and grain brokers, announced today that the firm will go into liquidation and retire from business owing to the speculation of a trusted employe and the continued ill health of the senior member, P. R. Caley.

BIG JOHN CUT PLUG TOBACCO

It's honest all through—that's why honest dealers sell it

A 5c package lasts one-half longer than [illegible] package of any other good tobacco, that's because the package [is pack]ed full of the best tobacco ever made; just put it in your pipe [and see if it] proves.

UNION MADE

Only one genuine, that bears words Big John and picture of man on front of every package; beware of false statements of those trying to sell worthless imitation.

Nearly all dealers sell it. In no way connected with a Trust or Combine

C. C. RAHN, Thompsonville, Conn.

BOSTON THEATRE

J. H. Tebbetts, Prop and Mgr.

MERRIMACK STREET, LOWELL.

POPULAR VAUDEVILLE.

All This Week Commencing Monday Matinee.

BENNETT BROS.,
Two Clever Acrobats and Hand to Hand Balancers.

O'HARE AND ROURK,
The Two Jacks, with original ideas in Novelty Bag Punching.

JENNINGS AND RENFREW,
Right up with the Leaders of Black Face Song and Dance.

CARTIER AND GUILLEMETTE,
The Musical Professor and His French Pupil.

BIOSCOPE,
Showing the "Green Goods Man."

BURKHART AND BERRY,
The Merry Makers, in an amusing Comedy Act.

Wednesday Night Bargain Night, a barrel of apples and a 5 lb. roast of beef for some one.

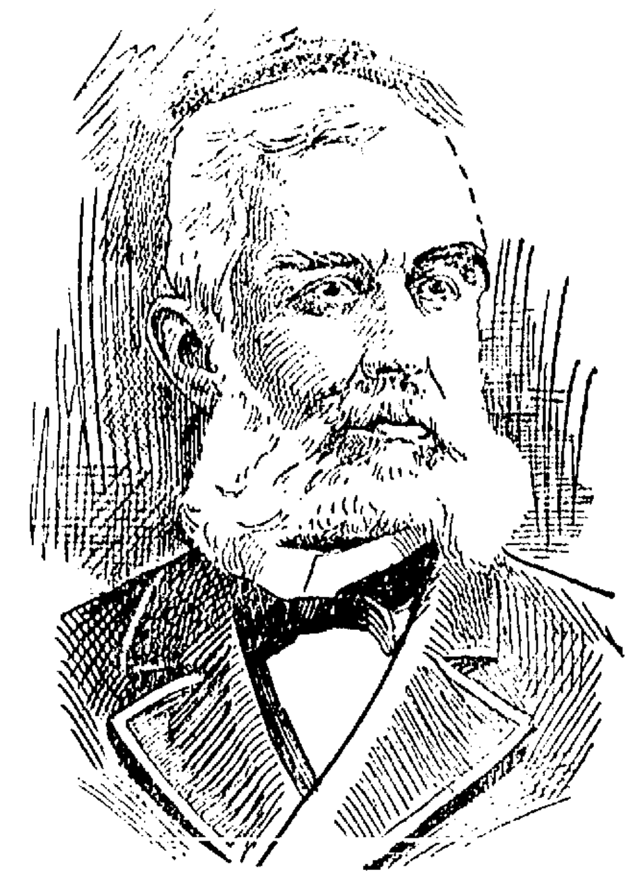
Thursday Evening—Amateurs, and the Country Store with more shoes for those who need them.

FOUR SHOWS DAILY

Prices 5c, 10c, 15c

LATEST

J. W. B. SHAW DEAD



THE LATE J. W. B. SHAW.

Was Prominent Old Resident and Business Man

James W. B. Shaw, one of Lowell's most prominent residents, died yesterday morning at his home, 47 Hudson avenue, at the age of 82 years, two months and 24 days. He had been ill for several weeks.

Mr. Shaw was born in Pittsfield, N. H., Oct. 22, 1823, and came to Lowell between 1845 and 1850 and resided here ever since. For sixty years he has been one of Lowell's most respected and influential citizens, connected with the principal branches of the city's activity, and has made for himself a reputation second to none in the city.

He is survived by a widow and two sons, Edwin T. Shaw, treasurer and manager of the H. R. Barker Co., of this city, and William N. Shaw, treasurer of the J. R. & J. M. Cornell Co., in New York city; also a sister, Miss Mary B. Shaw of Pittsfield, N. H.

Few men in this city have been identified with more numerous or varied duties than has Mr. Shaw. Soon after he came to Lowell he entered the dry goods business with a store in Merrimack street opposite John street, under the Unitarian church. He remained there until 1858, when he retired.

When the board of health was first organized he became its chairman and held that position for eight years. He was a member of the school committee from 1865 to 1876, and was a director of the Lowell dispensary.

He was a trustee of the Middlesex North Agricultural society for many years and was active in the Middlesex Mechanics association as secretary and treasurer. He was vice-president of the Lowell Institution for Savings and was a member of its board of investment. He was one of the oldest members of the First Congregational church and for many years was chairman of its prudential committee.

For the past twenty years he has had charge of the real estate of the Wyman heirs and has had his office in Wyman's Exchange. He kept up his activity in this line until very recently.

He was one of the oldest masons here and was a charter member of Kilwinning lodge. He was a member of Mount Horeb Royal Arch chapter, Ahasuerus council, Pilgrim Commandery Knights Templar, Lowell lodge of Perfection, Lowell Council Princes of Jerusalem, Mt. Calvary of Rose Croix, Massachusetts Consistory thirty-second degree. For 22 years he was recorder of Pilgrim Commandery, Knights Templar and resigned at the last annual meeting. For 30 years he has been superintendent of the masonic apartments of this city. As tyler of the several masonic bodies he was well known to every mason in the city. He was also trustee of the Lowell Masonic association. Deceased was a member of the Mechanics lodge, I. O. O. F.

In all his various interests Mr. Shaw won for himself the respect and esteem of his friends and acquaintances. He was faithful to every trust reposed in him and was active in all that he was connected with.

For 60 years Mr. Shaw has been one of the leading citizens of the city and his loss will be keenly felt. The masonic bodies will note his loss particularly, owing to his years of activity and responsibility in their ranks but his death will be felt in almost every walk of life in this city.

IS BADLY BURNED

Hamilton Employe Met With Accident

John Meehan, of Middlesex street, was badly burned about the face, neck, breast and arms in an alley way leading from the dye room of the Hamilton mills, this forenoon. He was removed to St. John's hospital. The doctors there said that while the burns were of a very painful nature they were not serious. Meehan did not know at what number Middlesex street is his home. He said the number had slipped his memory.

But for the quick work and presence of mind of other men Meehan would have been much more seriously burned. While carrying two bundles of wool through a dark and narrow passage one of the bundles came in contact with a gas light and the flames reaching over set fire to the other bundle.

Meehan was between two fires and the men who went to his rescue grabbed the burning wool with iron hooks, pulling them away from Meehan but not until he had been painfully burned. He will be at the hospital for a week at least.

FROM SATURDAY'S LATE EDITION

POLICE BOARD

Reports Work of Department For Six Months

Mayor Casey this morning received a semi-annual report of the work done by the police [illegible] which is [illegible] sale of liquor to women [illegible] which is as follows:

Office Board of [illegible]
[illegible] 1906.
Hon. James B. Casey, Mayor, City of Lowell:

Dear Sir: [illegible] report of the Lowell police department:

During the [illegible] manner of conducting business [illegible] complaints [illegible] investigated [illegible] each case. The presence of women in liquor saloons seemed to be the grievance of these complaints but as there is no statute which forbids the sale of liquor to women [illegible] the board felt that it could not very well take any penal action in the complaints. The frequenting of saloons by women is to be regretted [illegible] but until the legislature makes a remedy this board can only ask licensed liquor dealers to discourage this phase of the traffic, and this it has done, as it believes with good results.

Five members of the police force have been before the board to answer complaints. Two were fined and reprimanded, two were cautioned and the complaint against one was placed on file. Nine new patrolmen have been added to the probationary reserve of the force from the civil service eligible list, and one patrolman on the pension list died.

Upon the petition of manufacturers and property owners some 21 persons were appointed special police officers without pay from the city.

Since June 1st, 1905, six sixth class licenses to sell intoxicating liquors as druggists were granted, one revoked and one transferred, and the first and fourth class licenses of one common victualler were transferred.

The following minor licenses were granted:

Auctioneers, 11; theatres, 6; rinks, 2; circus, 1; amusement, various, 54; express wagons, 12; fish wagons, 6; night lunch wagons, 9; hackney coach, 1; junk collectors, 26; junk dealers, 1; second hand dealers, 2; pawnbrokers, 1; pool and billiard, 14; employment office, 2; common victuallers, 111; hawker and peddler, 278; to loan money in small sums, 4.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK B. DOW,
FISHER H. PEARSON,
LAFOREST BEALS,
Board of Police.

ON LONELY ROAD

Body of Lowell Man Buried in Western Wilds

Somewhere along the line of the Santa Fe railroad at a point about 200 miles [illegible] was buried [illegible] the body of James Sweeney of this city. He was employed by the Standard Oil Pipe line and went under the name of John Carney. Before he died, however, he told a friend that he [illegible] in Lowell, Mass., and that he had a son and daughter living here.

Supt. Moffett today received a communication from M. T. Lamb of Ransom, Ill., informing him of the facts in the case and asking him to ascertain Sweeney's relatives if any he has in this city.

Mr. Lamb said he knew Sweeney very well and found him to be an honest and upright man. He thought, however, that he was subject to spells when his mind was inclined to wander. He did not know why Sweeney took the name of Carney.

THE BELT LINE

Aldermen Blamed for the Delay in Opening It

"The reason that the people of Lowell are not riding [illegible] Fletcher street to [illegible]" said Rep. Hayes [illegible] year [illegible] meeting [illegible] its proper channels."

Rep. Hayes's remarks were in response to a query as to the status of the [illegible] regarding the establishing of a belt line of cars to run from Pawtucketville through Fletcher street direct to the Northern depot, thus cutting out the circuitous route down Merrimack street to Merrimack square, or as it is popularly called "around the Horn." Rep. Hayes was one of the leaders in the movement and when he [illegible] President Sullivan of the B. [illegible] the latter assured him that the company would establish such a route if given a franchise which would give them necessary authority. Accordingly an order granting the railroad the necessary permission was introduced into the board of aldermen in August but instead of adopting the [illegible] the upper branch tabled [illegible] to remain there until [illegible] Rep. Hayes [illegible] a few days.

[illegible] that each [illegible] railroad commissioners and [illegible] the city council it has [illegible] before the railroad commissioners. Rep. Hayes has been [illegible] will approve [illegible] which will be within a week [illegible] Rep. Hayes also saw President Sullivan [illegible] today in relation to the matter and the latter informed him that the cars would have been running long ago had the board of aldermen done their duty promptly. Had they passed the order in August the commissioners would have acted on it in September and the railroad could have cut in its tracks and connections before the frost got into the ground. Now that the cold weather has set in it may be necessary to wait until the first thaw before proceeding with the work, but the public is assured that as soon as the frost gets out of the earth the remaining construction work will be done and the cars started. The new line will be a great convenience to hundreds of residents of the vicinity and it can't come too soon for them.

Hood's Medicated Soap Best for infant's, child's and adult's skin and scalp; for pimples, eruptions, scurf, dandruff, sores and wounds. Excellent as a sanative wash for women. Trial size, 10c., regular, 25c. Druggists or mail.

Hood's Tooth Powder

Cleanses, whitens, beautifies the teeth, hardens gums, neutralizes acid secretions, prevents dental decay, sweetens the breath. Most delightful dentifrice. 25c. and 50c. [illegible]

If Made by HOOD It's Good

with the cash balance on hand Jan. 1, 1905, of [illegible] left a cash balance on hand Jan. 1, 1906, of $392,186.23.

The clerks are also engaged in making out the [illegible] of the different department [illegible].

ONE WEEK MORE

To File Bills in the Legislature

LOWELL MAY HAVE ONE FILED

Affecting Appointment of a Commissioner

On Saturday next, January 20, the time for filing bills in the legislature, will close at 5 p. m.

As yet there are no bills of importance affecting Lowell registered, but it is expected that quite a few of them will be heard from next week. There is talk of a bill changing the method of appointing police commissioners though none of the local members have heard of it.

SUPREME COURT

To Take Up Redistricting Veto

The redistricting matter will be argued before the full bench of the supreme court within a short time, possibly several weeks.

Judge Loring has reported the matter to the full bench and efforts are being made to have it heard at this term of court.

TEN TEACHERS

Were Dropped From Evening Schools

REMARKABLE FEATURE OF ALTITUDE

Potatoes Once Planted There on March 17

During the past six weeks ten teachers of evening school have been dropped, partly due to the fact that the attendances in some of the rooms were running low and partly due to the enforcement of the new law, requiring children between the ages of 14 and 16 years who were illiterate to attend the day schools.

About the latter part of every year there is a slight drop in the attendance at evening school which necessitates dispensing with the services of several teachers, but this year the enforcement of the new state law caused quite a falling off in the attendances and it is estimated that of the ten teachers dropped between six and eight were relieved owing to the new law.

HIS TOMBSTONE

"Charlie" Frost Has One Erected

The men who erect their own tombstones are few and far between and a man now [illegible] in this city is among the few.

[illegible] Frost, the veteran [illegible] street [illegible], when favored with the [illegible] had erected in a graveyard [illegible] a tombstone on which will [illegible] engraven his epitaph [illegible] now except to add the [illegible].

The [illegible] question is little more [illegible] throw from the old Frost homestead which is still the property of [illegible]. The little graveyard is [illegible] a road that wends its way [illegible] from the Frost homestead. It is banked with great pine trees and the monument which Mr. Frost had erected a few years ago is the most conspicuous of the few whose whiteness stands out in solemn significance, is [illegible] even in the darkness of the night.

It is hoped, however, that it will be [illegible] years [illegible] the date of the genial [illegible] will be inscribed upon the monument that has its position in the little country graveyard.

The glad [illegible] comes from his bedside this afternoon that he is much improved. He slept well last night and his attending physician, A. E. A. McCann said this afternoon that he is resting comfortably.

ANNUAL REPORT

CITY TREASURER STILES AT WORK ON IT.

City Treasurer Stiles and his assistants are busily engaged in the making out of the annual report of that office and it is expected that it will be ready for presentation Tuesday.

The receipts of the office for the year 1905 were $3,875,555.71 while the expenditures were $3,738,502.84, showing [illegible] which together

SMALL-POX

THE TOTAL COST LAST YEAR WAS $3,297.05.

According to figures compiled by Agent [illegible] of the board of health the total cost of small-pox last year was $3,297.05 which would be an average of $1[illegible] per patient.

That includes quarantine and all the outside cost. There is large expense [illegible] Lowell by other cities on account of the conditions above described. One bill in the hands of the department from Boston is for an expense of $14 per week for many weeks.

There were 21 cases of smallpox in 1905, and one was brought [illegible] and a fine [illegible]. The ages of the patients were from [illegible] to 28 years. But the bulk of them were minors. Only [illegible] were of adult age, and all the 21 cases were [illegible] the French population.

WHERE IS ADRIAN

He Suddenly Disappeared From Home

Constable John McManus is looking for the whereabouts of one John Adrian, who, up to a week ago, lived with his wife at [illegible] street. McManus states that he went to see Adrian over a week ago about a bill of $40 which the latter owed and received the assurance that Adrian would call and pay him on Saturday. When Saturday came McManus waited patiently for the missing Adrian but he never came and then Mac going to the house a few days ago learned that Adrian on Saturday last borrowed $[illegible] from his wife ostensibly to pay the bill and then went out, and that's the last, according to McManus, that either his wife or the constable have seen of him.

Constable McManus, who has been looking up the record of Adrian, has a note from the chief of police of Manville, R. I., to the effect that a man answering Adrian's description has a wife and five children living in that place, whom he deserted. McManus is now endeavoring to learn if the Manville man and the board [illegible] are one and the same.

STRANGER LOST

James Makas, 19, came here from Greece a few days ago and went to 19 Fenwick street in search of relatives. Yesterday he started for South Lowell in search of work, having heard that men were wanted at the Rendering Co.'s works in that place. Nothing was heard of James' whereabouts up to 10 o'clock this forenoon and his relatives fearing that something had happened him reported the matter to the police. About an hour later, however, James showed up in Fenwick street. He did not succeed in getting work because he could not speak English and he lost his way coming home.

MORTALITY

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JAN. 13, 1906.

Population, 94,845. Total deaths, 38; Deaths under five, 11; Infectious Diseases, 1; Acute Lung Diseases, 8; Typhoid Fever, 1.

Death rate: 20.83 against 18.09 and 18.64 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Scarlet Fever, 1; Diphtheria, 3; Measles, 1; Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis, 1.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

AFTER TAXES

NOTICES HAVE BEEN SENT TO DELINQUENTS.

Tax demands for the delinquents of ward one were sent out from the city treasurer's office yesterday, while a big batch of demands for residents of ward two were sent out today. The demands for the other wards throughout the city will be sent out as soon as completed.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 13, 1906.

Jan.
1 Mary Chicles 23, fracture of skull.
Patrick McDermott 50, tuberculosis.
5 Sarah P. Pardee 78, senile dementia.
Mary McLaughlin 66, nephritis.
Ruth A. Aldrich 68, heart disease.
Sherman Hanchett 13, typhoid fever.
Yvonne Geoffroy 10, hypertrophy.
Alfred R. Patron 2, meningitis.
Anna T. Hall 21 days, cyanosis.
6 Clarissa W. Haworth 81, apoplexy.
John Ryan [illegible], appendicitis.
Bridget Reilly 27, disease of heart.
Alice [illegible] 26, tuberculosis.
7 Samuel P. [illegible] 58, cong. of lungs.
Thomas J. [illegible] 61, endocarditis.
James H. [illegible] 53, tuberculosis.
Elizabeth [illegible] 25, endocarditis.
Margaret [illegible] 5 mos., whooping cough.
8 Nelson J. W[illegible] 85, bronchitis.
[illegible] 23, pneumonia.
John P. [illegible], rheumatic fever.
John P. S[illegible], meningitis.
9 [illegible], grippe.
G. [illegible] 9 mos., pneumonia.
Henry [illegible] day, prem. birth.
10 [illegible] 81, apoplexy.
[illegible] 72, diabetes.
[illegible] 26, phthisis.
[illegible] 5 days, acute inanition.
Julia [illegible], pneumonia.
Marie A. [illegible], pneumonia.
Mary Welch [illegible], pneumonia.
11 Lizzie [illegible], la grippe.
Rhoda R. [illegible] 82, pneumonia.
Betsey [illegible] 67, sarcoma of liver.
Martin [illegible], pneumonia.
Mary [illegible], meningitis.
Mary E. [illegible], meningitis.
Mabel [illegible], enteritis.
Geneva F. W[illegible] 6 days, meningitis.
12 Mary Carroll [illegible], carcinoma.
GIRARD P. [illegible]MAN, City Clerk.

BRAVE OFFICER DEAD.

BOSTON, Jan. [illegible] In the death of Patrolman James [illegible] at his home, 37 Holliday street, [illegible] yesterday afternoon, after a lingering illness, this city loses one of its most efficient and best known officers. Born in the Fort Hill section of [illegible], Dec. 20, 1848, he has been a lifelong resident. He was appointed to the police force Jan. 10, 1881.

Mr. Russell figured in some of the most important cases that came to the notice of the force. He had been connected with station [illegible] the harbor police since 1885, and for [illegible] years in charge of the old harbor boat Patrol and Watchman.

JAIL SENTENCE

Chicago Millionaire Admits He Served One

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Ferdinand [illegible] of New York, millionaire [illegible] of the packing firm of [illegible] and Pfalzer [illegible] on the witness stand in Judge [illegible] court yesterday that he [illegible] convicted of defrauding the government [illegible] and had served a jail sentence. Louis Pfalzer, [illegible] cattle for the [illegible] sued his former [illegible] for $15,000 for [illegible]. Mr. Sulzberger took the [illegible] to testify regarding the [illegible] Pfalzer's attorney, after the [illegible] cross-examined [illegible] Mr. Sulzberger," the attorney [illegible] "that you have been convicted [illegible] and sentenced to jail a part [illegible] sentence was served?"

"Yes," replied the witness, "but I was pardoned."

"You were convicted in 1868 of conspiracy to defraud the government and fined $500 and sentenced to ten days in jail, were you not?" was the next question.

"Yes sir," was again the reply, and that line of inquiry was dropped.

After all the evidence had been heard the jury retired and shortly after brought in a verdict of $11,000 in favor of the plaintiff. According to the certified record of the proceedings in the New York courts which was presented to Judge Pinckney by the attorney for the plaintiff Mr. Sulzberger was tried and convicted of conspiracy to defraud the government in New York in 1868 during whiskey scandal investigations of that year.

RESCUE PARTIES

Were Almost Overcome by Gas

CALUMET, Mich., Jan. 13.—Heroic efforts have failed to release the seven men imprisoned under ground in the burning portion of the Tamarack mine. Several members of two rescuing parties sent in yesterday were driven back by gases. General Manager Hulre of the Tamarack company authorizes the statement that no shafts will be sealed until every possible effort has been made to determine the fate of the seven men in the burning shaft.

PURE FOOD

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION APPEALS TO CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—J. A. Yerington of Chicago, chairman of the board of directors of the National Food Manufacturers' association is here to appear before the committees of congress to advocate the views of the association on food legislation. He says the association is opposed to the Hepburn bill and will urge that the manufacturers be held responsible for the character of the goods shipped by him only while those goods remain in the original unbroken package and only while the article relates to inter-state commerce and is subject to the violations of a national law.

DANA MALONE

MAY BE SUCCEEDED BY RICHARD IRWIN

GREENFIELD, Mass., Jan. 13.—Dana Malone, attorney general-elect, forwarded to Governor Guild today his resignation as district attorney for the northwest judicial district of Mass. The resignation is to take effect next Wednesday the day upon which Mr. Malone will be sworn in as attorney-general. Richard Irwin of Northampton, a former state senator, is prominently mentioned as Mr. Malone's successor.

VERON APPOINTED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Pres. Roosevelt today announced the appointment of W. T. Veron, principal of the Quindaro institute at Quindaro Kas., to be registrar of the treasury in succession to J. Lyons. Charges were preferred against Veron but they were not sustained by the investigation made by direction of the president.

HER MAIDEN TRIP

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The new steamer Brazile, built especially for the Italian passenger service to the United States, arrived here today from Genoa and Naples. The Brazile belongs to the LaVeloce line and is the first of four steamers which this line is building for this service. The new steamer is a twin screw boat of 5,263 gross tonnage and accommodations for 1200 steerage passengers and 200 cabin passengers.

D. J. Page has returned after a pleasant trip down south.

THE ALTONA LOST

Is a Serious Menace to Navigation

CHATHAM, Mass., Jan. 13.—The British barkentine Altona, which went aground at Shovelful Shoal Thursday and which after being freed by a passing tug, was abandoned by her crew and later found to be on fire, sank in the middle of the Pollock Rip channel today and is now a serious menace to navigation. The mizzen-mast was burned away but the fore-mast and mainmast are still in place. The vessel is in six and one-half fathoms of water west northwest from the Pollock Rip lightship, one and one-half miles. The circumstances surrounding the several incidents connected with the sinking of the barkentine has aroused more interest than is usually manifested in the sinking of a ship and it is considered probable that an investigation will result. The Altona was first noticed by the Life Saving crew at Monomoy Point when she went aground Thursday afternoon. The crew went out to the vessel but was unable to render any assistance. Later in the day the tug Gypsum King, passing to the westward with a tow of barges put a line on board the Altona and pulled her into deep water. Captain Card requested that he be towed to New York, but the captain of the tug declined to do so, fearing that the barkentine would sink during the voyage. The Altona had five feet of water in her hold and the ten men comprising the crew were set at work at the pumps. In the meantime Captain Card had informed the life-savers that he would attempt to continue on his voyage to St. Johns, N. S., but he arranged to burn signal lights if he needed assistance. At 11 o'clock Thursday night the patrol at the life-saving station saw a red signal light and the crew was called out and went out to the barkentine again. When the vessel was reached it was found that the crew had abandoned their efforts to free the hold of the water and had launched the boats ready to row ashore. At first Captain Card declined to join his men and announced his intention of remaining on board the sinking vessel but later was prevailed upon to join his men and go ashore. The captain and crew were taken care of at the life-saving station. Early yesterday morning the life-savers were astonished to observe that the barkentine was burning. Thus far no satisfactory explanation has been made as to how the ship caught fire. To the men at the station, Captain Card stated that everything was shipshape when he left the vessel and he could not account for the fire. Further than that he was not communicative. The crew, most of whom are colored, have had nothing to say regarding the grounding of the vessel or the fire which broke out later.

Captain Card and his men left the life-saving station this morning and came to this town.

AT HARVARD

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR LATE DR. HARPER.

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 13.—The regular morning prayers at Appleton chapel, Harvard University, took the form of a memorial service in memory of William R. Harper, president of Chicago University. A large number of officers and students of the university were present at the services which were conducted by Prof. Edward C. Moore chairman of the board of teachers of the university. Prof. Joseph H. Beale, Jr., of the Harvard Law school, who upon invitation of Pres. Harper organized the Chicago law school a few years ago, and who served temporarily as dean, spoke of President Harper's life and character. He paid a tribute to his great influence in education and to his genius for administration and dwelt in affecting terms on the high moral and spiritual qualities of the man.

COTTON MEN

WILL TAKE UP THE ACREAGE QUESTION.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 13.—With the matter of acreage as the most important question remaining to be settled the Southern Cotton Growers' association today began the last day of its work. The question of the permanent headquarters, the election of officers and the proposition to establish an official organization will be settled by the executive committee at its session here next week.

The executive committee will also arrange to put into effect the plan of holding the remainder of the crop for 15 cents.

GOV. PATTISON ILL.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 13.—Persistent reports that Governor Pattison is seriously ill are denied by members of the family. Governor Pattison is still suffering from malaria contracted during his trip to Florida just after the election. This has been aggravated by a cold which he contracted on the day of his inauguration. He has not been at his office since then.

FOR NEW TRIAL

Counsel for Tucker Filed a Motion

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 13.—The case of Charles L. Tucker, who is under conviction of murder in the first degree for killing Mabel Page, of Weston was before the superior court today in a double form. Counsel for the defendant filed a motion for a new trial on the ground of newly discovered evidence relating to the stick-pin which figured prominently in the trial and which it was alleged Tucker stole from the Page house after he had committed the murder.

Another motion was heard by Judge Sherman. It is an application by the defendant for the appointment of a magistrate to take the deposition of Edwin Page, father of Mabel Page, on the ground that his testimony is material to the issue of the ownership of the stick-pin. It is also set forth that it will be necessary to have the oral testimony of Harold W. Page, brother of the dead girl, Mrs. Ruth M. Freeman, a sister and Miss Amy Roberts, a servant at the Page house.

WENT ASHORE

CLYDE STEAMER CHEROKEE STILL FAST AGROUND.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 13.—The Clyde steamer Cherokee from San Domingo for New York which went ashore yesterday near the South Brigantine Life Saving station is still fast aground today. A northeast gale prevails and the seas are breaking over the stranded vessel. The passengers are still aboard the Cherokee. The wrecking steamer North America moved the Cherokee a considerable distance toward deep water during the night.

NARROW ESCAPE

KOREAN WAR MINISTER WAS STABBED 11 TIMES.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 13.—The Korean war minister who is staying at the Hotel De France here had a narrow escape from assassination today at the hands of a young Korean, said to be the minister's interpreter. The would-be assassin stabbed the minister eleven times with a knife.

OVERWHELMED BY AVALANCHE

INNSBRUCK, TYROL, AUSTRIA, JAN. 13.—SEVEN THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS OUT OF A PARTY OF TWELVE WERE OVERWHELMED BY AN AVALANCHE TODAY WHILE ON AN EXCURSION IN THE HALL VALLEY.

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A CARD FROM THE OUTLET FRUIT COMPANY

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 12, 1906.

To all persons engaged in the sale of fruit and produce, we respectfully beg to announce that we will be ready to do business at our new store, 154 Market street, on Monday, Jan. 15. Come and see us whether you wish to buy or not. Mr. Blair will represent the company in the territory he has covered so long and faithfully for another firm. Mr. Book will be pleased to see all his old friends and also new ones. Mr. Shaw, who was with Mr. A. Babigan, will see that his old and also new customers are supplied in good shape.

Hoping to receive a share of your patronage, we are respectfully

THE OUTLET FRUIT CO.,
A. BABIGAN,
R. BLAIR,
R. H. CLARK,
J. M. BOOK.

Boston & Northern St. Railway Co.

IMPORTANT CHANGE OF SCHEDULE AND RUNNING TIME ON THE LOWELL, LAWRENCE & HAVERHILL MAIN LINE

Beginning Tuesday, January 16, 1906, cars will run as follows:

Leave Lowell for Lawrence 5.15, 6.10, 7.10 a.m. and every thirty minutes until 10.50 p.m. Returning leave Lawrence 5.20, 6.10, 7.20 a.m. and every thirty minutes until 10.50 p.m.

SUNDAYS: Leave Lowell 7.10 a.m. and every thirty minutes until 10.40 p.m. Returning leave Lawrence 7.20 a.m. and every thirty minutes until 10.50 p.m.

Leave Lowell for Haverhill *5.15, 6.10, 7.10 a.m., and every thirty minutes until 9.40 p.m. Returning leave Haverhill *5.55, 6.55 a.m. and every thirty minutes until 9.55 p.m.

SUNDAYS: Leave Lowell 7.10 a.m., and every thirty minutes until 9.40 p.m. Returning leave Haverhill 6.55 a.m., and every thirty minutes until 9.55 p.m.

* Change cars at Lawrence.

THOMAS J. SAYERS,
Division Superintendent.
Lowell, January 13, 1906.

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WITH WILLIAM R. RANDALL IN THE LEADING ROLE
MATINEES— Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday
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Potash, Sal. Tartar, Ammonia and Borax
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HELD IN $10,000

Mrs. Alice Cooper Indicted for Murder

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 13.—An indictment charging murder was returned against Mrs. Alice F. Cooper of South Windsor by the grand jury in the superior court today. Mrs. Cooper is charged with the shooting of Charles J. Northey, Jr., of North Whitefield at her home on the afternoon of Oct. 16 last. She was held in $10,000 until the April term of the supreme court.

KATHERINE GRAY

ALLEGED HEIRESS OVERDREW BANK ACCOUNT

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 13.—Katherine Gray, the alleged heiress and graduate of Vassar college, who worked as a servant rather than marry "the major," an old friend of her uncle, Col. John Gray, at Richmond, has disappeared from the home of E. W. Bausman, 7225 McPherson street. Her departure followed investigation of a $150 check she gave to an attorney to look after her interests, on the Homewood People's bank, in which, it is alleged, she had but $5.

The check was returned and Miss Gray explained that she did not receive a remittance she had been expecting. The check was held, awaiting her remittance, and the attorney at a suggestion from Mr. Bausman went to Richmond to look up the matter. He returned Wednesday night after an absence of four days, and told Mr. Bausman what he had learned. The latter had a talk with Miss Gray, after which Miss Gray left the house.

Mr. Bausman yesterday morning refused to accept the voluminous package of mail addressed to Miss Gray and notified the postoffice authorities. They and the Pittsburg police are at work on the case and detectives have been sent to Richmond, where Miss Gray alleged her tyrannical uncle lived.

Several letters passed between the alleged uncle and Miss Gray on the subject of Miss Gray's alleged inheritance and finally a man made his appearance at the Bausman home representing himself to be the uncle's attorney, who told practically the same story as Miss Gray and dwelt on the fact that some money would be needed to get the fortune.

$90,000,000

COST OF IRRIGATION CANALS IN LAST 25 YEARS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—In an address on reclamation work in the west before the National Geographical society last night, C. J. Blanchard of the Geographical Survey declared that 77 miles of main canals of river size have been built during the three years in which the United States reclamation service had been organized and that irrigation canals long enough to span the earth twice around and representing an outlay of $90,000,000 had been built during the past quarter century.

"Every year," he said, "this area returns a harvest valued at more than $150,000,000 and 2,000,000 people dwell in harmony and content where only a short time ago the wilderness reigned."

COURT MARTIAL

ANOTHER MIDSHIPMAN PLACED ON TRIAL.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 13.—The court martial which yesterday took up the case of Midshipman John Paul Miller of Lancaster, Ky., charged with hazing, resumed its sessions today. Midshipman Miller introduced as his counsel Col. Charles H. Lauchheimer, U. S. M. C., and R. S. Theall of Washington. Col. Lauchheimer is the author of the Standard Work on the forms and procedure in use by naval court martials.

There are two charges against Miller, hazing and encouraging or countenancing hazing and eight specifications. However there is only one incident as a basis for all the specifications. It is alleged that Miller hazed Stanley R. Castle of Llano, Texas, Henry G. Cooper, Jr., of Oxford, N. C., Max B. Demott of Neils, Mich., and John F. Donelson of Pawnee, Okla., by compelling them to perform "Number 16" together. Miller, if he is acquitted, will graduate on the twelfth of next month and his scholastic standing will not be below Number 3 in the class of over a hundred.

GONE TO ITALY

CONSTANTINE WANTED IN CHICAGO FOR MURDER.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—According to information received by Asst. Chief of Police Schuetler, Frank J. Constantine, supposed murderer of Mrs. Louis Gentry, is now on board an ocean liner bound for Italy. This information was given to the police by an Italian friend of Constantine in Chicago. The prefect of police at Rome was cabled instructions to arrest the fugitive.

SEVERAL BREAKS

BUT THE BURGLARS GOT LITTLE BOOTY

CALAIS, Me., Jan. 13.—Burglars during last night entered the stores of H. H. Butler and company, John Haley and Harry Smith at Milltown, N. B. and of Edward Murphy, this city, but secured little booty. The breaks probably were made by the same persons who evidently were after money as merchandise was not taken.

NEW Y. M. C. A. BUILDING.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Jan. 13.—The corner-stone of the new Young Men's Christian Association building in this city was laid today by President Frank L. Gatchell, after interesting exercises had been held in the First Baptist church at which Right Rev. Bishop William N. McVickar of the Providence diocese of the Episcopal church, six local clergymen and Wm. H. Worrall, chairman of the building committee, were speakers.

The building will be four stories in height and will be equipped with a gymnasium, swimming pool, two halls, reading and other rooms. The estimated cost of the building is $100,000, of which $95,000 has already been raised or pledged.

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GAYNOR - GREENE

The Pleas in Abatement Read

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 13.—The pleas in abatement to indictments numbers 1[illegible] and 1[illegible]7, being those found last November against Greene and Gaynor, were read today on the convening of the federal court. The pleas set up that these bills of indictment had not been legally returned in that the grand jury was drawn from residents of the southwestern division of the southern district of Georgia, whereas they were served in the western division where they returned the indictments against the defendants and that the court had no right to appoint the two special commissioners to prepare the special grand jury list that had been prepared upon the order of the court. The defendants say that the grand jurors were therefore illegally drawn and had no right to return indictments. Special Assistant Attorney General Marion Erwin read the government's demurrer to these pleas. He responded that the grand jury had been legally drawn because what is now the southwestern division at the time the offenses were committed was embraced in the eastern division and that the jury box was properly prepared.

When Mr. Erwin concluded his argument, A. A. Lawrence of counsel for the accused, arose to read a written reply. Then came a sensation. Judge Speer found language in the argument that he construed as contempt and promptly fined Mr. Lawrence $100.

Mr. Lawrence was arguing that the court had exceeded its rights in the appointment of special jury commissioners, one of whom was T. F. Johnson, clerk of the court and the other W. S. West of Valdosta who has lately been engaged in a bitter political controversy with W. W. Osborne, Mr. Lawrence's law partner. The language of Mr. Lawrence to which the court took exception was as follows:

"One circumstance alone in the case serves to illustrate more powerfully than I can hope to do by words, the possibility for wrong and injustice opened up by this extraordinary innovation into what we conceive to be the law of procedure. It is a curious coincidence that in the case at bar the court, unwittingly of course, appointed as a jury commissioner a gentleman who was at that time and still is an open, public and notoriously avowed enemy of the defendant's counsel.

"Whether or not this has been to his prejudice in this particular case, we are not prepared to say."

Judge Speer awaited Mr. Lawrence's conclusion of the passage and said:

"Mr. Lawrence, your remarks are exceedingly improper and out of order. The court has no knowledge that he appointed as a jury commissioner, a gentleman who was at that time and still is an avowed enemy of one of the defendant's counsel. Enter a fine of $100 against Mr. Lawrence for contempt of court. The gentleman appointed as commissioner was appointed as one of the most intelligent and upright men in south western Georgia, a prominent member of the opposite political party to that which the clerk belongs. He is president of the Georgia senate and ex-lieutenant governor of the state of Georgia. After due inquiry the court believed him of all others to be the best man and therefore the court appointed him to fill that position and this court will not tolerate insults by counsel in its presence."

Mr. Lawrence calmly concluded his argument after the imposition of the fine, making no apology for the language employed.

Judge Speer then announced a recess to consider the matters presented.

"BEN" DOWNING

KLONDIKE MAIL CARRIER IS DEAD.

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—Through a newspaper dispatch from San Francisco Henry Downing of Lynn learned last night that his brother, Benjamin S. Downing, famed as the wealthy and intrepid Klondike mail carrier, was dead in the former city, leaving between $50,000 and $100,000. As the mail carrier's nearest relatives are his invalid wife, living in Barnstead, N. H., and Mr. Downing of Lynn, to whom the mail carrier was very much attached, the latter will probably be one of the principal heirs, and it may be necessary for him to go West to settle the estate.

WAS STOLEN

SATCHEL CONTAINING $350 DISAPPEARED FROM BANK.

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 13.—In the National Banking company yesterday, a satchel containing several thousand dollars disappeared from the bank counter while the man who had just drawn the money turned to speak with a friend.

Laban Dennis, secretary of the George Brown & Co., stone works, went into the bank about noon and drew $350 for the weekly pay roll. He put it in a satchel. On his way he stopped to speak to a friend, and placed the satchel on the check shelf. When he again turned to pick up the satchel it was gone.

It is the theory of the police that someone in the bank who had seen Dennis receive the money and count it, waited until he turned his back and then seized his opportunity. The door is close to the shelf where the bag lay.

The empty bag was found this afternoon by a boy in a hallway.

A DIVORCE

LAWRENCE MAN BRINGS SUIT AGAINST WIFE.

LAWRENCE, Jan. 13.—A libel for divorce has been brought against Alice M. Haupert by her husband, David M. Haupert, who alleges unfaithfulness. Alfred A. Heroux, a clothing merchant, separated from his wife, is named as corespondent.

Mr. Haupert accuses his wife of infidelity at Yarmouth, N. S., on July 23, 1905, and at Andover, Dec. 10.

Mr. Haupert is represented by Lawyer W. J. Lena of this city.

It is claimed that Mrs. Haupert was found by her husband and an Andover policeman in the middle of the night at Heroux's home in Andover, and that she has since gone to Plymouth.

STEAMER FLOATED.

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 13.—The steamer Juanita of the Merchants and Miners' Transportation company from Boston via Norfolk which was yesterday reported aground near Sandy Point was relieved of part of her cargo and floated, arriving uninjured last night.

IVINS CONFESSED

He Admits That He Killed Mrs. Hollister

CHICAGO, Jan. [illegible] before noon today [illegible] the young man who reported to the police that the body of Mrs. [illegible] Hollister was lying in the [illegible] confessed to Assistant [illegible] Schuettler that he [illegible]. He declared yesterday [illegible] was working in his carpenter shop a short distance from where the body was found today, Mrs. Hollister passed by. He attacked her, he declares, and attempted to assault her. She resisted desperately and he twisted [illegible] around her neck and killed [illegible]. It was dark at the time and he then dragged the body into the stable yard and threw it upon the pile of refuse. He then entered his father's house, a few feet distant, remained there all the evening and slept soundly through the night. This morning he went out to the stable yard and pretending to find the body rushed into the house and reported the fact to his father. Ivins is 24 years old and has previously borne a good reputation.

The wire which killed Mrs. Hollister was of the kind usually used by telegraph linemen and was not over one thirty-second of an inch in diameter. It had been brought against the flesh with such force that it was deeply imbedded in the muscles. Mrs. Hollister left her home yesterday afternoon to attend the funeral of a friend, Mrs. Thomas Semple at 172 Seminary avenue. That was the last seen of her by any of her friends. After waiting until 7 o'clock last night for her return, Mr. Hollister informed the police of her disappearance and an all night search was [illegible] which [illegible] nothing.

Early this morning when [illegible] Mr. Ivins went to the stable to [illegible] to some work they saw the [illegible] woman [illegible] from a [illegible]. It was entirely covered by the refuse [illegible] at once removed the body [illegible] the police. The body was identified as that of Mrs. Hollister [illegible] husband notified.

Judging from the appearance of the clothing Mrs. Hollister had made a desperate fight before she was killed. Three rings with [illegible] on the right hand were gone. Other articles of jewelry which she had at the time of leaving the house had been taken and it was surmised that robbery had been the motive of the crime.

The pile of refuse on which the body lay was in plain view of the windows of several houses to the rear and had it been there at [illegible] must have been found within [illegible] time.

Following so closely upon the murder of Mrs. A. W. Gentry [illegible] the killing of Mrs. Hollister has [illegible] police to desperation. Every available officer was placed on the [illegible] resultant questioning [illegible] of Richard Ivins.

Mrs. Hollister was 30 years of age and a woman of great personal charm. For years she had been [illegible] possessor of a voice of extraordinary beauty. She frequently assisted at musical entertainments here.

THE CHINESE

ARE AFRAID OF CHRISTIANITY SAYS DR. AMENT

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—The American board of commissioners for foreign missions has received a special report from Rev. Wm. S. Ament, D.D., missionary of the board in Pekin, China, concerning the political situation in that country. Dr. Ament says:

"The native leaders in Pekin have announced their desire for a newspaper devoted to the interests of women in China. The women of Shanghai have joined in the boycott on American goods there and have suggested ten ways by which they can help make the boycott a success. These women, supposed to be enslaved and inert, suddenly show signs of intellectual life, which revival may become an important element in the regeneration of the empire.

"Just now a sign not of comfortable portent is the enlarged military activity out of proportion to the financial strength of the empire. Uniformed men abound far more than the real needs of the empire require. Munitions of war are purchased which will soon be old and worthless.

"Corruption prevails in the handling of funds. Mutual jealousy exists among those in authority. European instructors are dismissed on the slightest pretexts, and, sometimes, those in high positions show small regard for contracts.

"One man in China seems to be working with an intelligent idea of his country's interest. The man is former minister to the United States Wu Ting Fang. Notwithstanding much opposition, he has secured the abolition of torture in civil cases (except the most aggravated) and secured legislation on such matters as commerce, patents, trademarks and made the relations between people and officials far more cordial than formerly. The whole proceedings of Chinese courts are to be reconstructed which means the beginning of a new era in China.

"The Chinese are afraid of Christianity. It gives too much power to common people. It teaches an honesty which interferes too markedly with the customs of Chinese. It would call for audited accounts and something fixed in the matter of salaries and expenditures. Hence the dread of Christianity on the part of officials at least till they are through with public life."

THE CHINESE

AWAKENING TO FACT THEY ARE NOT SUBJECT PEOPLE.

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 13.—The Rev. Arthur Smith, a missionary in China who returned yesterday on the Siberia, is visiting friends in this city. The missionary says:

"The strong anti-foreign feeling in China is due in large part to the defeat of Russia by Japan. The Chinese are awakening to the fact that they are not a subject people. The feeling against the United States is very bitter because of the exclusion act. This feeling is heightened by imaginary wrongs and exaggerated descriptions of indignities heaped on Chinese in this country as sent home by Chinese in the United States. But China as a whole has come to a belief that it is easier and cheaper to carry on a negative war against the United States than to attack missions and kill missionaries. The country has learned that where there is no violence there is no punishment to follow. This feeling is confined to the coast cities however, and I do not believe that it would be safe for an American to venture into the interior provinces.

"What the more intelligent of the Chinese want is that the exclusion act shall be intelligently interpreted and shall be enforced only against those classes whom it is meant to affect."

NO CHANGE

IN THE CONDITION OF MARSHALL FIELD.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Marshall Field who is ill with pneumonia rested quietly during the night according to a statement made at the Holland House this morning. There had been apparently no change in the patient's condition since last night's bulletin which said that the disease had not extended. The physician in attendance said that it was not possible to give the pulse and temperature of patients who were suffering with pneumonia for they varied greatly at different stages of the disease and the figures would be simply misleading to the public. The outlook about the hotel seems to be that Mr. Field will surely recover. The physicians, it is said, are quite satisfied with the situation. Dr. Frank Billings, Mr. Field's family physician, who reached here yesterday, spent the night with the patient, who it is said was greatly cheered by the presence of his old friend.

OWNED A BANK

But Owner Did Not Know About It

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—It makes a man pretty sore to be the owner of a bank and not know anything about it until after the cashier has skipped out with the cash and left the innocent owner to face a small army of angry depositors. It is especially annoying if the depositors happen to be dark-browed Sicilians who back up their demands with stilettos and announce that they will take gore if they can't get cash.

Antonio Crisafulli, who runs a grocery and wine store at 210 West Broadway, says this is what happened to him, and he feels a good deal put out about it.

Until Thursday Crisafulli thought he owned a grocery and produce store in Boston, and that his manager, Biagio Sclaceia, was an ideal man for the job. He got a telegram on Wednesday afternoon from his young brother, who was clerking in the store, requesting him to go to Boston at once.

Crisafulli got there Thursday morning and found his grocery store surrounded by 25 Italians. They told Crisafulli with the aid of a lot of Sicilian cuss words that they had about $1000 deposited in the grocery store, and said that they wanted it in a hurry. The groceryman did his best to calm them, and then took a look inside.

He found the cash drawers empty, and was told by his brother that the manager had decamped the day before with all the money in sight. Crisafulli took a casual glance over the books and figured that the cash book wouldn't balance by about $1000. He ran across a check book of the Beacon Trust company and was hopeful for a few minutes that he might have a good sized account there. He hurried over to the bank and found that the "firm of Crisafulli & Sclaceia" had $15 coming to it.

Crisafulli went back and told the depositors and the whole bunch hustled to police headquarters and told their troubles to Captain Maretti. The police were told that Sclaceia was an embezzler to the extent of $1600, and they started a hunt for him. They haven't struck his trail yet. Crisafulli is undecided as to whether it leads to Italy or Canada.

Crisafulli arranged, before returning to this city, that the $600 worth of stock in the grocery store and $275 outstanding accounts should be turned over to the depositors, who had an average of $50 each in the bank.

When Crisafulli got back to the city yesterday he learned that at about the time he boarded the train for Boston on Wednesday night his store at [illegible] West Broadway was found to be on fire. [illegible] firemen squelched the flames [illegible] than $1650 damage had been done. They couldn't locate the cause of the blaze. The store was [illegible].

MORALES LEAVES SAN DOMINGO.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The state department has been informed that ex-President Morales left San Francisco yesterday, on board the U. S. S. Dubuque, for San Juan, P. R.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—The Boston stock market opened firm with interest centered in a few copper specialties. Copper Range was a feature, advancing 1¾ to 86¼. U. S. Mining was in request with an early gain to [illegible]. Copper closed active and [illegible]. Utah was off ¾ to 65¾. U. S. Mining up ⅝ to 40 and North Butte off 1½ to 93¾.

STONE CRUSHERS

Supt. Morse Wants Two New Ones

[illegible] Morse of the street department [illegible] and the purchase [illegible] during the present [illegible] at the work which [illegible]. It is his desire [illegible] placed on the Post [illegible] of Humphrey [illegible] with two crushers [illegible] supply of crushed [illegible] than one [illegible].

[illegible] not been able to secure [illegible] the crusher at the [illegible] will be moved to [illegible]. While the Fletcher street [illegible] good condition at [illegible] been thoroughly [illegible] capacity is not [illegible] the work of macadamizing [illegible] pushed ahead very rapidly.

[illegible] road rollers. He has [illegible] one being 15 tons [illegible] the third is about ten tons. [illegible] roller is in very poor condition [illegible] been condemned by the [illegible] boilers. There are also [illegible] of the other two rollers which [illegible] repairing and these parts will [illegible] Rhode Island at once where [illegible] the proper attention and the [illegible] rollers will be in first class condition when the work of macadamizing streets in the spring is resumed.

In place of the condemned roller Supt. Morse will purchase a strictly up-to-date roller [illegible] with the coal and boiler [illegible] 15 tons.

While Supt. Morse has done more macadamizing during the past year than any other superintendent it is his intention this year to do even more and he will start in early in the year. If he can secure the two new crushers, with the assistance of the three other road rollers he feels that he will be able to accomplish a great deal.

HIS WIFE KILLED

Doctor Identified Her by Wedding Ring

HACKENSACK, N. J., Jan. 13.—After Dr. Harry G. MacDonald of this city had met several trains from Paterson on the Susquehanna railroad and found his wife not among the passengers he concluded she had remained at the home of her friend, Mrs. [illegible] for the night. This morning he became quite anxious and while he was telephoning to Undercliff learned that a well dressed young woman had been killed by an Erie express train near the Undercliff depot last evening. He got a description of the dead woman. When it was said that the letters inside her wedding ring were "H. G. M. to H. B. R., April 20, 1904," he exclaimed:

"My God, that is my wife."

He hastened to Coroner Pell's morgue at Ridgewood and at once identified the remains. Engineer Jacob Voorhis of train 319 was the only eye witness of the accident. He saw the woman on the track ahead of his express train, but it was too late. Mrs. Adams says she drove Mrs. MacDonald to the depot in time to catch the 5.46 train for Paterson last evening, but did not wait. It is thought that Mrs. MacDonald became confused by the approach of the express as she started to cross over to the eastbound track, for in the darkness it is difficult to tell which of the two westbound tracks a train is on as it comes around the sharp curve near the depot.

DEAF MUTE

OPERATED A GET-RICH QUICK SCHEME

BUFFALO, Jan. 13.—John J. Valliquette, a deaf mute, was sentenced to the penitentiary for four months in police court yesterday morning. He pleaded guilty to operating a get-rich-quick scheme upon another deaf mute, Albert J. Bacher.

Valliquette worked his scheme on Bacher for about fifteen years and succeeded in getting a total of about $1500 in that time. He first went to Bacher, who has considerable money, and informed him that Buffalo's city hall wasn't paid for, and if he (Bacher) would give $10 toward paying the debt the city would eventually give him an annuity of $2000. When Bacher got tired of contributing money for this purpose Valliquette succeeded in getting him to pay him 60 cents a week for a period of five years, the understanding being that the money was to go to the government, which at the end of five years would give Bacher $140,000,000. All the transactions were outlawed except one involving $3, and it was on this that Valliquette was sentenced.

A DIVORCE

OBTAINED IN RUSSIA IS QUESTIONED.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Whether or not a divorce [illegible] Russia is valid in this state is a question that will have to be [illegible] of the supreme court [illegible] of Sarah Nieberg for [illegible] Benjamin Nieberg, a real estate [illegible] comes up for trial.

Mrs. Nieberg says that she helped make her [illegible], but that since he [illegible] no longer cares for [illegible] his fortune at about [illegible] income of $20,000 a year.

Nieberg [illegible] makes more than $500 a [illegible] up that he has [illegible] Mrs. Nieberg is his wife [illegible] has been advised that the [illegible] she obtained in Russia [illegible] is not valid [illegible].

[illegible] was applied to by Mrs. Nieberg [illegible] amount of her alimony [illegible], but in view of the [illegible] as to Nieberg's [illegible] that the matter [illegible] a referee.

Beats the Magic Cure.

[illegible] time," writes [illegible] Lafayette Place, [illegible] take Dr. King's New Life Pills [illegible] the most reliable and effective [illegible] I have found [illegible] Stomach, Liver and Bowels [illegible] at Goodale's drug store [illegible] 25c.

From Saturday's Late Edition

WARM TERRITORY

Centralville Hill is a Warm Zone

In speaking about weather conditions in Lowell today, [illegible] A. Fay, the well-known [illegible] calls attention to the fact that [illegible] the spring time the snow leaves Centralville hill three weeks before it abandons the Blackpole street side of the river. He has lived on the hill all his life and states that this has been invariably so for years. The reason for it is that the sun strikes fully on the hill throughout the winter. Another remarkable fact in connection with weather conditions on Centralville hill is that 32 years ago this spring potatoes were planted on the top of Centralville hill on the 14th day of March and they grew up without any setbacks and were sold several barrels of them at $14 per barrel.

FUNERALS

McCAFFERY—The funeral of the late Mrs. Hannah F. McCaffery took place at 9.30 this morning from the mortuary chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. The remains were taken to the Immaculate Conception church where high mass of requiem was sung at 10 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O. M. I. The choir rendered the Gregorian chant and appropriate selections were sung by members of the choir, Mrs. Walker presiding at the organ. The floral tributes consisted of: Cross and crown on base, inscribed "Mother" and a large pillow. The bearers were Messrs. James McLoughlin, Lawrence Cunnadore, James Dunphy, William H. Ryan, Denis A. Murphy and Philip J. Breen. The interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Dorgan read the committal service. The interment was in charge of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HOOD—The funeral of Mrs. Emma J. Hood took place yesterday from her home in North Chelmsford. Rev. C. E. Fisher conducted the services at the house and there was singing by Miss Daisy Duncan. Yesterday afternoon funeral services were held at the Carlisle Methodist church and burial was in the cemetery at Carlisle. The bearers were George, Henry, Leslie and John Upton. J. A. Weinbeck had charge.

PAYETTE—The funeral of Hercule Payette took place yesterday from his home, 10 Gardner street. A solemn high mass was sung at St. Jean Baptiste church, Rev. Fr. Amyot, O. M. I., officiating and Rev. Frs. Dubreuil and Graton, O. M. I., acting as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir sang the harmonized funeral mass, and at the offertory Sites Jose Alaw Vigeant sang "O Meritum Passionis." The bearers were four sons of the deceased, Louis, Hercule, Alby and Phillippe Payette, and Honore Desrosiers and Oscar Rousseau. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, and Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaker Amedee Archambault had charge.

WEBSTER—The funeral services of Mrs. Betsey E. Webster were held last night at 7 o'clock at her residence, 37 C street, Rev. Mr. Dockrell officiating. The body was later sent to Waterville, P. Q., for burial by C. M. Young & Co.

LIVSEY—The funeral of Mabel Livsey was held from the home of her parents, 10 L street, yesterday afternoon and burial was in St. Peter's cemetery. Undertaker McKenna had charge.

CONANT—The funeral of Joseph S. Conant was held yesterday afternoon from his residence in Dracut. Rev. Edwin Smith of the Pawtucket church conducted the services. The bearers were Wyman O. P. and O. J. Coburn and George Hunter. Burial was in Woodbine cemetery. J. B. Currier had charge.

WELCH—The funeral of Geneva F. Welch, aged 6 days, was held yesterday afternoon and burial was in the Lowell cemetery. J. A. Weinbeck had charge.

CLARK—The funeral of Mary Ethel Clark was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 6 Rockdale avenue, and burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Savage had charge.

CURRY—The funeral of Mary Curry took place yesterday afternoon from his home, Daly's court off Fenwick street and was largely attended. The bearers were Joseph Callahan, J. Mead, Edward Allen, Charles Rogers, James F. Rooney and James Manglin. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Savage had charge.

LEVER—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Lever was held yesterday from her home, 59 Jefferson street. The body was later sent to Fall River for burial by C. H. Molloy & Sons.

WELCH—The funeral of the late Mary Welch took place this morning from the funeral parlors of Undertaker Peter H. Savage in Worthen street and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Fr. Gilday. The choir was in attendance and sang the Gregorian mass and during the service appropriate selections were rendered by the members of the choir. The bearers were Messrs. John O'Brien, Arthur Clairmont, William Hook and William Rosnette. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Gilday. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

DEATHS

CARNEY—George Butterfield Carney, infant son of Edward R. and Lovina C. Carney, died this morning at the home of the parents, 25 Plymouth street.

TEAGUE—Mrs. Catherine Teague, wife of Jas. Teague, died last night at her home, 115 Concord street. Besides her husband she leaves four children, four brothers, John, Patrick, Edward and James McCrossen, and one sister, Miss Minnie McCrossen, all of this city.

$100,000 FOR YALE.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 13.—Treasurer McClung of Yale University has just received $100,000 additional of unrestricted funds paid in funds obtained by Secretary Anson P. Stokes. Mrs. Charles P. Taft of Cincinnati is announced as the donor of $15,000 for the enlargement of the Yale infirmary.

CREW MISSING

The Schooner Russell Turned Turtle

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 13.—Another terrific storm swept the coast last night and the wind reached a maximum velocity early today of fifty miles an hour. No reports of new disasters along the coast have reached here as yet.

A report from Little Island Life Saving station where the five-masted Boston schooner Fannie Palmer is ashore, says that the storm has driven eight feet of water into the hold of the Palmer, which is pounding in her bed of sand and now has a bad broad-side list seaward. Wreckers who have been working on her have reported no progress.

Nothing has yet been heard from the missing crew of six from the schooner Samuel F. Russell, which turned turtle in lower Chesapeake bay during the heavy snow storm several nights ago.

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VOTED TO PARADE

St. Patrick's Day Convention So Decide

THERE WERE SOME DISSENTING VOTES

Twelve Societies Represented at Meeting

The annual St. Patrick's Day convention was held in Hibernian hall yesterday, and it was voted to observe the day with a street parade. There were 79 delegates present and 29 of them were opposed to the parade. The vote was taken after an animated discussion, but it was the sense of the meeting that all would abide by the will of the majority and help make the parade a big success.

The convention was called to order at 3 o'clock by Michael J. Markham with John P. Sheehan, secretary. Of the 17 societies notified of the convention 12 sent delegations, and each was allowed seven delegates. The Mathews and Y. M. C. I. were conspicuous by their absence. Both sent communications stating that their societies had deemed it inexpedient to send delegates.

The question of parading was taken up first and after a discussion of the project, in which the chief opposition was the uncertainty of the weather, a vote was taken with 48 in favor and 29 against the proposition to parade.

The vote by delegations was: Div. 1, A. O. H., two for, four against; division 2, A. O. H., two for and five against; division 8, A. O. H., seven for; division 11, A. O. H., six for and one against; division 28, A. O. H., seven for; Wolfe Tone Guards, seven for; Company E, seven for; Burke Temperance Institute, seven against; Holy Name Society, of St. Patrick's church, three for and three against; Sacred Heart church, seven for; Catholic Young Men's Lyceum of St. Patrick's church, six against; O. M. I. Cadets, three against. The total vote was 48 favoring a parade and 29 against.

It was voted to hold the election of a chief marshal at a meeting to be held two weeks hence.

The secretary will notify societies not represented yesterday to send delegates to the next meeting. Communications will also be sent to the Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Order of Foresters of the city to attend the next meeting.

The secretary was instructed to send invitations to the Catholic societies of Nashua, N. H., Manchester, N. H., Lawrence, Haverhill, Pepperell, Ayer Junction and North Chelmsford.

A committee of three consisting of Messrs. James O'Sullivan of the Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's church, Thomas Keegan of the Burke Temperance Institute and Frank Pierce of the Wolf Tone Guards was appointed to make arrangements for a program for the day. The proceeds of the program will be turned over the convention.

FIELD IS WEAKER

No Hope for His Ultimate Recovery

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—It was admitted this morning at the Holland House where he is ill with pneumonia that hope for the ultimate recovery of Marshall Field, the Chicago merchant, had been generally abandoned. The physicians in attendance, however, refused to commit themselves beyond the statement that Mr. Field's condition was less favorable than yesterday.

At four o'clock this morning one of the physicians who left the patient long enough to have his breakfast served in a room adjoining the sick chamber said:

"Mr. Field is no better and no worse than when our last bulletin was issued last night. So far as I can see his condition has not changed since midnight. A bulletin will be issued early this forenoon."

Doctors Riggs, James Janeway and Billings remained at or within easy summons of the bedside of the stricken merchant throughout the night. Preparations to administer oxygen as a last expedient were made and this was taken by those about the hotel to mean that the end was near.

William G. Beal of Chicago, Mr. Field's personal attorney, remains at the Holland house, also Stanley Field, Mr. Field's nephew, and Mrs. Stanley Field.

A CONFERENCE

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The coal operators, including the big railroad operators as well as individual mine owners, will meet the miner's representatives in about two weeks it was said yesterday by the president of a coal railroad. The exact date of the conference has not been fixed. Probably it will be held in this city early in February after the national convention of the United Mine Workers.

President George F. Baer of the Reading and John Mitchell, head of the United Mine Workers', recently reached an agreement for conference. The railroad operators have not outlined their attitude toward the miners, it was said yesterday for the reason that the miners have not presented their case fully.

The individual operators, it was said, will be represented by Joseph L. Cake of the Clear Spring Coal company at West Pitson, Pa., and by Frank Pardee of the Pardee Coal company at Hazelton. Mr. Baer will represent the railroad operators.

WHEN IN DOUBT

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ADMIT PASTORS

Socialists in the C. F. U. Lose Point

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—After a stormy meeting the Central Federated union yesterday passed a resolution to admit as fraternal delegates Rev. M. S. Littlefield and Rev. John P. Davis representing the New York Presbytery. It looked at first as if the Socialists who were up in arms against the admission of the clergymen would carry the day. Mr. Littlefield who sat through the whole proceedings, turned the tide by a little speech he made before the vote was taken.

The conditions under which the two clergymen were admitted provide that they are to have neither voice nor vote.

No less than twenty three speakers talked on the subject, most of them against the admission of the clergymen.

"We don't want any sky pilots here," said August Gildmeister of the Atlantic Coast Seamen's union. "This body has only to do with earthly things. Before we look after our souls we ought to see that our bodies are not starving."

Ephraim Kauffmann of the cloth cutters' union scored the delegates for their narrowness as also did former Assemblyman Prince who represented the Cigarmakers.

The speeches which followed were a medley of socialism, trade unionism and religion. Mr. Littlefield finally got the privilege of the floor.

"I represent a closed shop," he said and he was interrupted with shouts of applause. Then he explained that his closed shop was the ministry, every member of which had to be thoroughly qualified.

"I want to say," he continued, "that I am getting a church built and none but union men will be allowed to finish it."

More applause followed and Mr. Littlefield went on to say that all the ministers wanted was to get a chance of investigating labor conditions at the fountain head and invited the delegates to send representatives to the meetings of the Presbytery.

His speech turned the scale and by a vote of 68 to 23 it was decided to admit the pastors.

A LARGE CLAIM

Arising From Trouble in Venezuela

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The latest information from Caracas regarding the Critchfield claim against Venezuela which dispatches from Washington say will be pressed by the state department is that it will be satisfactorily adjusted between the government of Venezuela and the United States, and the Venezuela company which now operates the Critchfield concessions says the Tribune. The claim grows out of the shutting down by the government of the asphalt property, "El Inciarte" near Maracaibo, for failure to pay an export tax imposed on the product by President Castro. The claim is for $1,600,000. The terms of the Critchfield concession included a clause that the asphalt from "El Inciarte" was to be free from such a tax as was imposed by President Castro. The property was shut down about the time that the high federal court cancelled the concession of the New York and Bermudez company at Guanoco. The government contended that aside from the non-payment of taxes, the Critchfield concession was never approved by the congress according to the laws of Venezuela. The trouble, however, is said to have been settled by Ambrose Howard Carner, receiver of the Guanoco lake property who interceded with Castro in the interests of the United States and Venezuela company. The congress which convenes in Caracas in April will confirm the concession and the claim will be withdrawn.

FRENCH SHIPS

May be on Way to Venezuela

PARIS, Jan. 15.—The positive statement was made at the foreign office today that diplomatic relations between France and Venezuela have not yet been officially broken off. M. Taigny, the French charge d'affaires, still remains at Caracas. A rupture, however, is imminent, though the order to sever relations with Venezuela has not been despatched. All communications, owing to the interruption of direct telegraphic connection with Caracas, pass through Washington with which capital an understanding exists. The American minister, Mr. Russell, will take charge of French interests in Venezuela when the official notification of the cessation of diplomatic relations is given.

The reports that the French squadron is proceeding to Venezuelan waters are not confirmed but on the other hand they are not denied, the officials here maintaining the strictest discretion relative to the measures France is likely to adopt.

LOWELL TRUST COMPANY.

The Lowell Trust company held its annual meeting Saturday and elected the following officers:

President, George M. Harrigan; vice-presidents, Royal S. Ripley, Constantine O'Donnell, George L. Huntoon; directors, Frank B. Dow, M. F. Gookin, Lemuel W. Hall, C. H. Hanson, George M. Harrigan, George L. Huntoon, John J. Hogan, Patrick Keyes, Thomas C. Lee, Constantine O'Donnell, P. O'Hearn, James F. O'Donnell, Humphrey O'Sullivan, Orrin R. Ranlett, Royal S. Ripley, Bartholomew Scannell, Paul Vigeant.

The statement presented showed the past year to have been the most successful in the bank's history, both as to increase in business and profit. The regular 28th semi-annual dividend was paid at the rate of 5 per cent, and a satisfactory amount carried to the surplus.

MONEY FOR PARKS

Higher Appropriation is Wanted This Year

The [illegible] have submitted [illegible] to Mayor Casey [illegible] explanatory [illegible] given to the different [illegible] the committee on appropriations.

[illegible] started on the first of [illegible] $1[illegible]. Out of this [illegible] spent for improvements [illegible] and for maintenance [illegible] sum of $[illegible] and returned [illegible] the general treasury fund a [illegible], having ended the year [illegible] paid. Our earnings from [illegible] of lots on the South common amounted to $1[illegible] and we received from Lowell Gas Light company for the destruction of trees the [illegible] which have been paid into the general treasury.

The amount of money which we ask for will be necessary to carry us through the year. We have not padded the amounts asked for with the expectation of being cut down. The list as it stands represents the actual amount that is needed for the purposes mentioned.

Last year the appropriation for labor was $[illegible]. This year was ask for $[illegible]. Why? In the years past it has been the custom to spend all the money appropriated for labor for the work of maintenance. During the past year we spent for improvements $3,-501.01, a little over 1-3 of the labor appropriation. It is our object to carry on the work of improving the North common by laying out a baseball ground, installing gymnasium apparatus for the children, repairing of the wall on the South common, finish the work already begun there, repair the walks. All the other parks and commons require more or less attention, and to do the work requires men, and to pay the men money is required. The average number of men employed in this department is 12, which number is too small to carry on the work as it should be.

Last year we spent for lumber $[illegible], this year we ask for $[illegible]. Why? Because we will need to build about 50 more park seats, we are building a new cart, and the tool house at Fort Hill park will have to be replaced as it is in very bad shape and too small at the present time.

Last year we spent for horse shoeing $[illegible], this year we ask for $100. Why? This year we are keeping the horses ourselves and we will have one more horse.

Last year we spent for fertilizers and manure $[illegible], this year we ask for $[illegible]. Why? Because for several years past the parks and commons have received no dressing and the shrubs and grass are like people if they receive no nourishment, they die.

New horse: during the winter we lost a valuable horse by black water, it will be necessary to buy another this spring.

Last year we spent for harness repairs and supplies $50.38, this year we ask for $[illegible]. Why? Because it is necessary to purchase one set of double, one express and one driving harnesses as we have made the old harnesses go as long as we could, they are now worn out, as none have been bought for several years.

We ask for $25 for seat castings. Why? Because there is a demand for more seats on the parks and commons and the people should have them.

We ask for $[illegible] for a typewriter. Why? Because it is needed in the office, at the present time we have to borrow a machine and it is inconvenient having to do the work at night, all reports made to the board are required to be in writing.

We ask for $250 for engineer's services and incidentals. Why? Because the work we propose to do will require a great deal of engineering and we expect Olmstead Bros. will send their bill in this year for services rendered.

We ask for $[illegible] for sanitaries, one for the North and one for the South common. Why? Because we consider that they are essential to the comfort of the people who visit these two commons.

We ask for $619.20 for 1376 square yards of concrete on Park Garden, North and South commons, at 45 cents per yard. Why? Because the walks on these places are in very bad condition and should be repaired at once.

We ask for $85 to curb Water Works square. Why? Because the people of Centralville have petitioned the board for the past two years to fix up this square.

We ask for $150 for shrubs for Fort Hill park. Why? Because we desire to complete the work as laid out by Olmsted Brothers in their plans; at the present time Fort Hill and Tyler parks are but partly completed.

We ask for $150 for vitrified brick. Why? Because the crossing at the entrance to Fort Hill park is in a very bad condition and when you cross you sink in the mud, several complaints have been made by the residents of Belvidere in regard to it.

We ask for $1050 for trees. Why? Because there is hardly a tree in the city that does not need trimming and some of them are in a very bad condition, several need to be removed. We ask for $930 besides to remove the trees killed by gas in Middlesex Village; there are 15 trees in a dangerous condition, the gas company paid the above sum for the removal and also the planting of other trees.

It tones and vitalizes the entire system and makes life worth living no matter what your station. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest preventative known for all diseases. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

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FUNERALS

DUGDALE—The funeral services of the late Mrs. Edward Dugdale were held from her late home, 815 Lawrence street yesterday afternoon and were very largely attended. Prayers were offered at the house, after which the funeral cortege proceeded to the [illegible] M. E. church in Moore street. The services at the church were in charge of Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the First Primitive Methodist church, assisted by the associate pastor Rev. [illegible] M. Hakes.

A quartet consisting of Mr. [illegible] McQuade, Miss May Burtt, Mr. [illegible] Stavely, Mr. Samuel Burtt, rendered very feelingly the selections, "Nearer My God To Thee," "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," "Rock of Ages" and "Mother Thou Art Gone to Rest," favorite selections of the deceased. Miss Butler presided at the organ. The service over, an opportunity was given the many friends to take a last look at the face of the deceased, after which the solemn procession proceeded to the Edson cemetery, where all that was mortal was consigned to its last resting place.

The floral tributes were profuse and were a silent token of the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many sorrowing friends and included the following pieces: Pillow, marked "Mother," from Louis, Emily and Albert Dugdale; star and crescent on base, marked "Grandma," Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Dugdale; Miss Lavina Booth, wreath marked "Grandma," from Richard, Jennie and Etta May Dugdale; sheaf of wheat and roses, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eaton; wreath of laurel leaves from Mr. Thomas Connors and family; spray of calla lilies and pansies, from Greenwood brothers; wreath of lilies and roses, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wright; wreath of laurel leaves and pansies, Ladies' Aid Society; pillow, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dugdale; sprays of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dugdale, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frye, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Dugdale, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kay, Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Murry, Mr. and Mrs. Conley, Mrs. James Dugdale, Mrs. and Miss Rhodes, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Hardy.

The bearers were Mr. Thomas England, Mr. Michael Bowden, Mr. Edward Drewett, Mr. Samuel Burtt. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, J. A. Weinbeck in charge.

CARNEY—The funeral of George H. Carney, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Carney of 25 Falmouth street, took place yesterday afternoon. Burial was in Tyngsboro, J. A. Weinbeck superintended the funeral arrangements.

ROBINSON—The funeral services of Marilla Robinson, infant daughter of John W. and Blanche Staples Robinson, were held on Sunday afternoon at the home of her parents, 91 Willey street, Rev. Arthur P. Wedge conducting the services. The singing was under the direction of Mr. F. O. Blunt, by six boys of St. John's Episcopal choir, of which Mr. Robinson was a former [illegible] "[illegible] Time We'll Understand," and "Nearer My God to Thee," were sweetly rendered.

Many and beautiful flowers testified to the loving sympathy of friends and relatives. The bearers, Herbert A. Wright and Burton H. Wiggin, were great uncles of the little one.

Burial was in the Lowell cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

ROGERS—The funeral of Antonio Rogers was held Saturday afternoon from the home of his parents, 4 Hall street, and burial was in the Edson cemetery. A. H. Bixby & Co. had charge.

DARRACOTT—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine J. Darracott took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home, 152 Pawtucket street, Rev. Charles M. Billings of the First Unitarian church was the officiating clergyman. The Temple quartet gave appropriate songs. Mr. Walter Coburn had charge of the funeral arrangements. The body will be sent to Mt. Auburn cemetery for burial by J. B. Currier & Co.

CARROLL—The funeral services of Mary Carroll were held yesterday afternoon at the Immaculate Conception church, Rev. Fr. Lawrence officiating. The bearers were Messrs. James Cox, Patrick Kane, John Fay, John Gallagher, William Wilder and John J. Stack. Fr. Lawrence read the committal prayers at the grave in St. Patrick's cemetery. J. F. Rogers was in charge of the arrangements.

DELMEGE—The funeral of Susannah Delmege took place from the chapel in the Edson cemetery, yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Rev. L. C. Manchester, of St. John's Episcopal church, officiated. The bearers were: William Fairbrother, Lawrence Buckley, James Doyle, Charles Maxwell, William Maxwell and J. Swetsir. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck in charge.

LEWIS—The funeral of Ruth Lewis, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Lewis, of 1[illegible] Middlesex street, who died of cerebro-spinal meningitis, Saturday morning, took place from the home, Saturday afternoon. The services were private. Rev. B. F. Kingsley was the officiating clergyman. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, J. A. Weinbeck had charge.

FRENCH—The funeral of Mrs. Rhoda R. French took place Saturday from the home of her grandson, Dr. C. B. Livingston, 123 Westford street, Rev. George Dean officiated. The bearers were Charles [illegible], Ernest Clifford, Sumner Clifford and [illegible] Bigelow. Burial was in the [illegible] cemetery. C. M. Young & Co. in charge.

TEAGUE—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Teague took place yesterday afternoon at [illegible] o'clock from her home, 115 Concord street and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 3 o'clock services were held. Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O. M. I., officiating. The bearers were Andrew McAloon, John Burns, Bernard [illegible], Hugh McNesple, John McKeever and Terence McKeever. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

IS LEGAL

TO PUBLISH NAMES OF THOSE WHO SELL ADULTERATED SEED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Attorney General Moody has rendered an opinion for Secretary Wilson, holding that it will be lawful for the head of the department of agriculture to publish the names of persons who sell adulterated seed. The question arose because the secretary of agriculture had an impression that if he did publish such names he would be liable for damages in actions for libel.

MISSING BONDS

Said to be Hidden in Woods

[illegible]TON, Jan. 15.—No attempt was made yesterday [illegible] to recover the $175,000 of bonds and stocks which the [illegible] William Barrett [illegible] in the woods at Chestnut Hill [illegible] has given place to curiosity [illegible] the minds of the residents [illegible] that Barrett has told the truth [illegible] the securities are there. Barrett is believed to have no reason to [illegible], and the fact they [illegible] to say exactly where the [illegible] is buried [illegible] for [illegible] of liberty.

[illegible] asked why Barrett [illegible] troubled to bury [illegible] which [illegible] ordinary burglar would [illegible] to dispose of the [illegible] which [illegible] would be a good thing [illegible], however, to avoid detection [illegible] the cases into bullion and sold it for the current price of the metal. The snake, with their tell-tale numbers and markings, he hid in a way that left absolutely no trace. While the officers watched the pawnshops for the watches, Barrett enjoyed in luxury the proceeds of his bullion.

In strict accordance with this method, which puzzled the authorities and kept Barrett out of jail for so many years, is the story of the buried securities. Nothing more surely leads to the arrest of a bond or stock thief than an attempt to negotiate the paper. So Barrett buried them.

Barrett told his pal, James Chaffee, that these securities were buried in Hammond's woods, and even went so far as to give him a diagram of the place. Chaffee was seen searching for them near where the boxes were found. He didn't find the boxes, and for the same reason all may have missed the securities.

TO THE STOCKADE

Men Accused of Murder Will be Sent

FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 15.—Friends of Dr. C. H. Harle here have been advised that he and the two other defendants, Richardson and Mason, under sentence of death in Chihuahua, Mexico, for the alleged poisoning of two Americans, policyholders of a life insurance company of New York, will not be executed in accordance with the court's decree by being shot but will be sent to the convict stockade on the islands in the tropics off the coast of the Southern republican to serve terms of twenty years each at hard labor, presumably in the salt mines.

Dr. Harle, formerly practiced medicine in Texas. Richardson and Mason came from Rochester, N. Y., and were in Dallas for a time.

POOL TOURNAMENT

OPENS AT Y. M. C. A. TOMORROW.

The much anticipated pool tournament of the Y. M. C. A. begins tomorrow evening and being the first of its kind ever held at the association it promises to be a big success. Four teams are entered and there are two fine tables.

The winners of the trophy will also get a free dinner.

The teams are the Cranes, the Cuckoos, the Eagles, and the Loons. These names were dug out of the dictionary by the office staff, which spent two days of last week on the job.

OLD BUILDING

PURCHASED BY CHARLES H. JOYCE COMPANY.

The Charles H. Joyce company of Central and Middle streets has purchased the wooden building on Middle street, adjoining its establishment, now occupied by Allen & Co., trunk dealers.

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Women's hosiery which sold formerly at 25c, 38c, 50c and 75c will be marked 15c, 2 for 25c

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LOWELL BOY

"TOMMY" McDERMOTT WON LOVING CUP AT DERRY.

"Tommy" McDermott is the amateur champion roller skater of New England. Saturday night at Derry, N. H., the Lowell boy defeated Clarence Hamilton of Quincy, in a five-mile race. The referee called a foul on Hamilton and gave the race to Tommy and also the loving cup for which the boys struggled. McDermott got the lead at the start and held it for three miles. When the fourth mile started Hamilton attempted to pass McDermott and pushed the Lowell boy to one side. The referee saw the foul but allowed the race to go on to the end and then awarded it to McDermott although Hamilton finished first. The foul, however, disqualified him. Friday night at the Elite rink McDermott defeated Hamilton in a most exciting contest and won the title. It is likely that the two will meet in this city again as Hamilton's friends still believe that their man is capable of defeating the Lowell racer.

BACK FROM MANILA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—The army transport Sherman, arriving from Manila yesterday brought the enlisted men of the 22nd infantry numbering 550 men and their officers. They will be stationed about this bay.

A passenger was General W. H. Carter who has been for the past three years in command of the department of Viscayas, including the islands of Mindanao and Samar. He is enroute to Chicago to take command of the department of the Lakes.

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This is a good time to start your spring sewings. It's like spring at this writing.

See Palmer Street Window

The Sale for Tuesday Remember

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SAVED BY FISHERMEN

Passengers of the Cherokee Had Terrible Experience

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 15.—After 24 hours of terrible anxiety, the passengers and crew, 62 in all, of the Clyde steamer Cherokee, bound from San Domingo for New York, which went aground on the Brigantine shoals Friday, were rescued [illegible] yesterday afternoon and landed here. Captain Archibald, two mates and the ship's carpenter [illegible] remain aboard the stranded steamer. The rescue was accomplished by Captain Mark Caste and a picked crew in the sloop yacht Alberta and their experience was almost as thrilling as that of the passengers. More than a thousand persons greeted the storm-tossed party as the sloop sailed into the inlet with the report that all hands were safe. Not in years have the inhabitants of Brigantine and Absecom beaches been so wrought up for the safety of a stranded ship's company and never were so many attempts made or perilous chances taken to reach a ship in the face of a fierce northeast Atlantic storm as were ventured in the rescue of the Cherokee's party.

When the Cherokee ran her nose into the sand of the treacherous Brigantine shoals on Friday, there was no fear for the safety of the vessel or those on board. The sea was comparatively smooth and it was expected that she would be floated at the next high tide. The life crews from Atlantic City and Absecom, South Brigantine and Brigantine immediately went to the rescue, but they were assured that there was no danger. Some of the passengers became a little anxious and wanted to be landed, but the captain could not permit without orders from the company, so all hands decided to make the best of it. At the request of the captain the South Brigantine life savers remained aboard the steamer.

During the night a moderate northeast storm set in causing the sea to become choppy and sending the vessel deeper into the sand. Daylight Saturday found the storm in full blast, making it impossible to launch a boat or for a boat from shore to come near the steamer. A heavy rain set in and later in the day a fog settled down and the vessel was lost to view. The wind rose until it reached a velocity of 33 miles, which churned up the sea and caused breakers to dash against the vessel with such violence that the passengers and crew had to leave the deck.

Nothing was heard from the passengers after the fog settled until dawn yesterday when a signal from the steamer reported all hands still on board. The life savers deemed it folly to attempt to go to the steamer in the sea that was running, but it was decided to send two men in a launch. This was done and when it was about to go over the bar at the mouth of the inlet the launch's machinery became disarranged and it drifted about helplessly. Another launch was sent out and brought back the two men in the disabled launch. Then it was decided that the staunch sloop Alberta with Captain Caste at the helm and a picked crew, should make an attempt to reach the Cherokee, and if possible, take off those on board. The Alberta got over the inlet bar in safety and then went pitching up the coast towards the stranded vessel. When abreast of the steamer the sloop put about and came to the leeward. A small boat was launched and several of the crew made the perilous trip to the steamer. They found the passengers and most of the crew in a terrible state of anxiety. The women were weeping and the men were pleading that something be done.

Captain Archibald and Captain Caste decided to make the attempt to transfer the passengers. Only four or five were taken at a time and after nearly two hours' work all but the captain and three of his crew were safely aboard the Alberta. From Brigantine beach hundreds watched the rescue, while away off at the Atlantic City inlet a number of men with strong glasses kept the anxious crowd there informed of the progress of the rescue. A great cheer went up when it was announced that the Alberta, loaded with people was leaving the steamer. It did not take the sloop long to make the run to the inlet, where the passengers and crew were congratulated on their safe landing. Most of them were in an exhausted condition, not having slept for 48 hours. Agents of the company took charge of the party, sending all the passengers and crew, sending all where physicians prescribed for those who suffered [illegible] exposure [illegible].

Among [illegible] was Lieutenant H. M. [illegible], formerly of the United States [illegible] Yankee, who was [illegible] to Washington from [illegible]. [illegible]

[illegible] Saturday night and Sunday morning the passengers and crew huddled [illegible] in the galley. The [illegible] caused the vessel to [illegible] badly. Early Saturday night there were ten feet of water in the hold and all fires went out with the exception of the one in the galley.

The Cherokee while in a perilous position, is in no immediate danger of breaking up unless another storm should set in. The vessel's nose is deep in the sand and it will be difficult to float her. The wrecking tug North America is standing by and will take off the captain and his three men if there is danger of the vessel going to pieces.

CREW IN MUTINY

According to Captain Sheppard, his crew was for four days in practical mutiny, his life being in peril every moment of that time. When the Mayberry became unmanageable on December 10 the crew, negroes shipped in the South, collected a butt of water, some pork, flour and beans and carried them to the top of the deckhouse. Later in the day all hands were forced to seek refuge on the roof. Then four of the negroes declared that they were going to desert the ship.

Captain Sheppard pulled his revolver and announced that he would shoot the first man who attempted to take the boat. This quieted them somewhat, but they insisted that the food be portioned out, and the result was that the first meal was served with the captain standing by, revolver in hand.

"One night, that of December 12," says Captain Sheppard, "I knew they had decided to murder me. They talked in groups and continually followed my movements, keeping as near as possible. I didn't get a wink of sleep that night. I simply sat and watched them as best I could, my revolver in my hand. That seemed to have a quieting effect for after that life was less strenuous. You can imagine our position when I told you that the sea was continually making a sweep over us."

On Dec. 14 they were reduced to one small bottle of water and this the captain carefully guarded. Fortunately that night it rained and they were able to secure thirty gallons of water. On December 15 in latitude 26.08, longitude 71.15, they were sighted by the Statia bound from Honduras to Havre. The vessel ran down near the bark and the captain signalled that it was too dark for rescue but that he would stand by during the night. On the morning of Dec. 16 they were taken off without accident.

L. A. Train of New York, one of the passengers of the Cherokee, suffered a total collapse last night and is in a precarious condition at Bates' inlet hotel.

Late last night it was reported that the Cherokee is loosening in the beams and that about 15 feet of water is in her hold.

Consul Handley when seen last night declared that the passengers from the time she struck begged the captain to send them ashore but the captain advised them to remain as he saw no danger and he would soon have them in New York. He raised the question of custom laws which he did not wish to violate.

Frank Westbrook, purser of the Cherokee, said there was no truth in the statement of the passengers that the captain refused to let the passengers ashore.

All the passengers seen commend Mrs. Palmer, the stewardess, for her bravery and cool manner which inspired others, even the men.

VICTORY AGAIN

Lowell High Girls Trim Belmont

[illegible]

The [illegible] will be with the Seniors [illegible] High school team.

The summary:

L. H. S.		B. H. S.
Miss Farmer rf		lb Miss Kewer
Miss Fairbairn lf		rb Miss King
Miss Sanders c		c Miss Fisher
Miss Jewett cc		cc Miss Lincoln
Miss F. Sawyer lb		rf Miss Husband
Miss A. Spalding rb		lf Miss Fenwick
Miss Barnes [illegible]		rf Miss Cushman

Score, Lowell H. S. 18, Belmont H. S. 1. Baskets from floor, Miss Farmer 18, Miss Fairbairn 6. Basket on foul, Belmont. Referee, Carl D. Burr, Lowell. Umpire, Miss Edith Steadman, Belmont. Linesmen, Misses River, Savage, Carter and Coggeshall.

MELROSE H. S. 46, LOWELL H. S. 12

MELROSE, Jan. 15.—The Melrose and Lowell high school basketball teams played a game in the gym of the Y. M. C. A. Saturday afternoon which Melrose won easily, 46 to 12. The features of the game were the playing of Vaughn, Loveland and Bowser for Melrose, and of Croft and Gendrow for Lowell. The summary:

MELROSE H. S.		LOWELL H. S.
Mitchell rf		lb Scribner
Loveland lf		rb Dow
Vaughn c		c Early
Bowser rb		lf Croft
Stantial lb		rf Gendrow

Score, Melrose 46, Lowell 12. Goals from floor, Loveland 7, Vaughn 6, Bowser 5, Mitchell 3, Stantial, Croft 3, Gendrow. Goals from fouls, Vaughn, Loveland, Gendrow 4. Referee, Moshet. Umpire, Brown. Scorer, Ward. Timer, Scott. Time, 20m. halves.

FR. MATHEWS 23, LOWELL 11.

AMESBURY, Mass., Jan. 15.—The Father Mathew basketball team defeated the Lowell team at town hall Saturday night, 23 to 11, in a fast and clean game. The summary:

FR. MATHEWS		LOWELL
Leonard rf		lb Hall
Cloutier lf		rb Lynch
Wall lf		
Flanagan c		c Connor
Cloutier c		
Fenders rb		lf Murphy
Finnerty lb		rf Shanahan

Score, Fr. Mathews 23, Lowell 11. Goals from floor, Cloutier 2, Leonard 2, Fenders 5, Connor, Lynch, Hall 3. Goals from fouls, Fr. Mathews 3, Lowell. Referee, O'Brien. Scorer, Biferly. Timer, Casey. Time, 3 15m. periods. Attendance 601.

LOWELL T. S. 20, CUSHING ACADEMY 10

ASHBURNHAM, Jan. 15.—Lowell Textile basketball team defeated the Cushing academy team by a score of 20 to 10 by fast playing all round. The summary:

LOWELL T. S.		CUSHING ACADEMY
McDonald lf		rb Hosmer
Walker rf		lb McKenzie
Gay c		c Locker
Field rb		lf Sherwin
Carr lb		rf Paquet

Score, Lowell T. S. 20, Cushing academy 10. Goals from floor Hosmer, Sherwin, Paquet, Field 2, Gay 3, Walker 2. Goals from fouls, Hosmer, Sherwin 3, Walker 6. Referee, Wheelan. Umpire, Thorpe. Timers, Partlett and Bicknell. Time 20m halves.

LOWELL CENTRALS 25, CO. D 15.

FITCHBURG, Jan. 15.—The Centrals of Lowell defeated Co. D, in one of the fastest and roughest games of the season, 25 to 15, in the armory Saturday night. It was the first game of a series between the teams and every player worked hard for victory. The visitors were the strongest aggregation that has appeared here this season. Fields and Tighe played a fast passing game and excelled for the visitors. Lynch was repeatedly warned by the referee for his rough tactics. Fields threw some sensational baskets from the floor and got seven out of 10 baskets on free tries. Conlon, Callen and Wallman played a clever passing game for the locals. The summary:

CENTRALS		COMPANY D
Allard lf		rb W. Bonner, C. Bonner
Low rf		lb Sheehan
Fields c		c Wallman
Tighe lb		rf Conlon
Lynch rb		lf Callen

Score, Centrals 25, Co. D 15. Goals from floor, Fields 2, Low 2, Wallman, Sheehan, Conlon, W. Bonner, Tighe 3, Allard, Callen, C. Bonner, Lynch. Goals from fouls, Fields 7, Conlon. Referee, M. Geller. Timer, Dolan. Time 20m. halves.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Phileas Bourin and Miss Elizabeth Leblanc were married yesterday at St. Joseph's rectory, by Rev. Fr. Brullard, O. M. I. Mr. Honore Lembre was best man and Miss Alma Leblanc, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. In the evening a reception to friends and relatives took place at the residence of the groom's parents, Haverhill street, Dracut.

HAVE RESIGNED

Savings Banks Commissioners are Out

BOSTON, [illegible] Locke [illegible] of Malden [illegible]

[illegible]

The result of the [illegible] the commissioners.

Hon. Warren E. Locke [illegible] and the new member [illegible] Dorr of Boston, who was appointed three months ago, responded to the call. The conference did not last long.

The governor made it clear that the commissioners had explained that they had misconstrued the law of 1905 and had also pointed out that they had quietly opposed the law which permitted such corporations as the Providence Securities and banking company to do business here, that the best way out of the difficulty was for Messrs. Locke and Otis to tender their resignations.

Mr. Dorr, as stated above, had only been a member of the board for three months, and since that time the board, as a matter of fact, has been investigating these quasi banking companies. Messrs. Locke and Otis strenuously emphasized this fact in favor of their colleague to the governor.

Within a few hours after the conference the joint resignation of Chairman Locke and Commissioner Otis, which the governor had requested, was tendered. The governor accepted the resignations, to take effect on the qualification of the successors, who will undoubtedly be appointed without delay.

Commissioner Dorr will undoubtedly be requested to continue on the commission.

AWARDED $11,000

Former Lowell Couple Recover Big Damages

[illegible] Whitney [illegible] New York [illegible]

[illegible] The verdict by the jury awarded the damages as follows: Mr. Whitney $1500, Mrs. Whitney [illegible], Mr. Locke $6000.

TEXTILE GOSSIP

Items From Several Mill Centers

FALL RIVER, Mass., Jan. 15.—A rescript has been returned from the supreme judicial court giving a judgment in favor of the defendant in the water rights case of the New England Cotton Yarn Co. vs. Laurel Lake Mills. The case went to the supreme court on an agreed statement of fact, and on the facts [illegible] of the judgment of the court was that the action could not be maintained.

NEW COMPANY INCORPORATED.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Anberg & Co. have been incorporated with $30,000 capital stock. Incorporation papers were filed at Lockport. The directors are Max Anberg, Albert Goldman, Ira H. H[illegible], George F. Diemer and Lucius R. Brown. The company will manufacture clothing, hats and men's furnishings.

ADDITION TO SILK PLANT.

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 15.—The Windsor Silk Co., manufacturers of broad silk goods, will shortly commission an architect to prepare plans for a large factory building which the company will erect in the spring. While the concern has not yet decided on details, it has asked for sketches for a brick building, 60x200, two stories high.

ONEIDA HOSIERY CO. CHANGES.

ONEIDA, N. Y., Jan. 15.—The Oneida Hosiery Co. has taken possession of a part of the Warner Industrial building in Vanderbilt avenue, and the company is already installing a portion of its business. The finishing and shipping departments have been moved to the Warner plant, but the knitters will remain in the old plant for some time yet occupying the third floor completely and a portion of another floor. In the spring the Oneida Hosiery Co. will begin the construction of a large three-story brick plant, the plans for which have been perfected and a site selected. The new building will be located near the Central railroad.

CLOTHING COMPANY INCORPORATED

GULFPORT, Miss., Jan. 15.—The State Clothing Co., with a capital of $10,000, has been formed, with Louis A. Near and Clyde A. Wadsworth as incorporators.

HOSIERY MILL CHANGES OWNERS

MILTON, Pa., Jan. 15.—The West Branch Hosiery Co. and the Milton Spinning Co., recently purchased by a syndicate of capitalists, have been turned over to the new company by Receiver J. L. Higbee. The directors of the new concern are John Knoell, Henry Myers, Edward Hecht, C. E. Cleaveland and L. N. Goldenburg. The company is incorporated under the name of the West Branch Knitting Co., which will operate all three plants, the hosiery, mercerizing and spinning mills. The officers for the coming year are: President, Edward Hecht; secretary, Henry Myers; treasurer, John Knoell. M. [illegible] will be general manager.

BOWLING NEWS

Bowlaway Tournament Won by Brownies

The Bowlaway tournament which came to an end last Friday night proved to be one of the most successful tournaments ever held in this city. The battle for first place was between the Brownies and Fairmounts and the former team won by the narrow margin of one point.

The following were the prize winners:

Team prizes: Brownies, first, $5; Fairmounts, second, $5; Indians, third, $[illegible]; greatest pinfall, Fairmounts 1[illegible], $[illegible]; greatest three strings, Fairmounts, 15[illegible]; greatest single string, Fairmounts, [illegible].

Individual prizes: Coleman, high average, [illegible] games, 91 2-45, $5; Fullerton, high average, 42 games, 86 2-6, $5; Lowry, high average, 27 strings, 86 26-27, $5; Hedrick, high average, 21 strings, 101 7-7, $5; Kelly, high 3-string total, 325, $5; O'Brien and Hall, second high 3-string total, $[illegible]; King, high single, 66, $5; Moran and Brice, second high single, [illegible]; Fullerton, spares, 6, $[illegible]; Slavin, strikes, 16, $[illegible].

STANDING OF TEAMS

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Brownies	43	11	[illegible]
Fairmounts	42	12	[illegible]
Indians	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Olympics	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
B. & M.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wannalancits	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
South Ends	23	31	[illegible]
Hillsides	21	33	[illegible]
Thorndikes	18	36	[illegible]
B. A. N.	8	46	[illegible]

CATHOLIC LEAGUE.

The race for first position in the Catholic league is growing very interesting, the Y. M. C. L's and Burkes being tied for first place, The Mathews are a good third, and lead in pinfall.

This week the Burkes play the D. Louis team and expect to take five points. The Y. M. C. L. team meets the C. M. A. C. five and as the latter are going along some it is hard to say whether or not the former will be able to win five points. Assuming that they do not, the Burkes will take first place. On the other hand the reckoning may be just the other way and the Burkes may take the tumble.

BOWLAWAY TOURNAMENT.

The new Bowlaway tournament will open tonight at the Bowlaway alleys with the following teams in the league: Olympics, Brownies, Thorndikes, Indians, Fairmounts, Centralvilles, Vagabonds, Blind Tigers, Pawtucket and Commercials. The following is the schedule for this week: Monday, Brownies vs. Vagabonds; Tuesday, Blind Tigers vs. Pawtucket; Wednesday, Olympics vs. Centralvilles; Thursday, Commercials vs. Thorndikes; Friday, Indians vs. Fairmounts.

Dr. Moses Greeley Parker, of this city, president of the Massachusetts society of the Sons of the American Revolution, delivered an able address Friday evening at Worcester at the sixth annual meeting and banquet of the allied patriotic societies of that city, the D. A. R., D. R., S. A. R., and S. R.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

One of the funniest comedies ever seen in this city will be presented by the members of the Academy of Music Stock company at the Academy of Music for one week, commencing tonight. To say that the play is a funny one is putting it very light, for it is mirth provoker from start to finish.

Mr. William R. Randall, a leading man in stock companies for a number of years, and an actor of no mean ability, will play the leading role. He will be supported by the other members of the company, which is practically the same as the Huntington Stock Co., with the exception of Mr. Huntington.

A good many of the theatre-goers of this city have seen the presentation of "The Man from Mexico" at different times and to them it is needless to go into detail. The story is that of a man named Fitzhew who went out to "do" the town up one night, but had not gone far before he figured in a raid and was arrested. His obstreperous manner in court, however, resulted in his being sent away for 30 days, and in order that his immediate relatives and friends would not learn of his difficulty he leaves word that he is going to Mexico.

The play is full of laughable situations and the different trials and tribulations of the same Fitzhew are so funny that they keep the audience roaring from the time the curtain rises until it falls on the last act.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening with the exception of Monday and Friday afternoons.

ANOTHER BRANCH

OF STRONG SOCIETY WAS FOUNDED YESTERDAY.

A new branch of the Artisans Canadiens-Francais was founded yesterday in Pawtucketville. The meeting at which the new branch was formed was presided over by L. N. Milot and several members of Branch St. Andre spoke in favor of the founding of the new branch.

If you want help at home, or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LOST HIS LIFE

Firemen Were About to Rescue Hart

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—As the firemen were about to rescue him, John A. Hart, an insurance agent who lived on the top floor of the four-story apartment house at 65 West 98th street, which was destroyed by fire early yesterday, was overwhelmed by the flames and burned to death. Before he was overcome, Hart had saved his wife and four year old son whom he handed out the window to the firemen.

PERSONALS

Mr. Joseph Moran entertained a party of 20 of his friends at the home of Mr. [illegible], Mt. Joel [illegible] of Loudon [illegible], Saturday night. Refreshments were served and at an opportune time Mr. Albert Mason on behalf of the [illegible] presented Mr. Moran a handsome gold watch-chain and [illegible] to which he responded in a fitting manner.

Rev. Benjamin Wilmott, who has accepted the pastorate of the First Congregational church, is at present the [illegible] Rexford, [illegible] School street.

Mr. Mary P. Falone is confined by illness to her apartments at 290 East Merrimack street.

POSTAL CLERKS.

Lowell Branch, No. 5, United National Association of Postoffice Clerks, held its regular meeting in Elks' hall in Middle street yesterday afternoon and officers were elected for the ensuing year, as follows:

President, John H. Farrell; vice-president, George H. Gurney; secretary, John E. Burns; treasurer, John J. Murphy; first, board of trustees, Jane A. Sears, Hiram C. Gordon and William M. Quinn.

PRAISED BY POPE

Bishop O'Connell in Private Audience

ROME, Jan. 15.—Bishop William H. O'Connell of Portland, Me., the special envoy of the pope to the emperor of Japan, was received in private audience by his holiness yesterday.

The audience lasted for an hour, during which the bishop made a verbal report of the results of his mission. The pope expressed his great satisfaction, and said that if all American envoys did their work as well they would become the first diplomats of the world.

The bishop speaks confidently of the future progress of Catholicism in Japan.

CRICKET LEAGUE

TO HOLD FIRST MEETING ON JANUARY 27.

President C. C. Horford of the State Cricket league, has called the first meeting of the delegates for Saturday, Jan. 27. Important business is scheduled for the meeting and a full representative gathering is expected.

The committee on by-laws which met in Boston on Saturday last and consisted of Williams of the Mohairs, Mills of Billerica, Devlin of East Boston, Dixon of Everett and Roffe of Boston, will report a new constitution and a set of rules which will greatly assist the management during the present administration, provided they are adopted. Each delegate will be requested to attend with full power.

The meeting will be held in the American house at 3 o'clock sharp.

Arrangements have been completed for the second annual party of the A. G. Pollard & Co. office, to take place the middle of next month.

GRIP

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JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

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ANNEX THE TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

THE MUTUAL INTERESTS OF TEWKSBURY AND LOWELL DEMAND THE ANNEXATION OF THE ENTIRE TOWN OF TEWKSBURY. THE TOWN WANTS CITY PRIVILEGES AND LOWELL WANTS ROOM FOR FUTURE EXPANSION. WE HAVE BUILT UP TO THE TEWKSBURY LINE SO THAT OUR GROWTH IN THAT DIRECTION MUST STOP UNLESS WE ANNEX NEW TERRITORY. WITHOUT NEW TERRITORY CONGESTION WILL FOLLOW TO THE INJURY OF OUR CITY AND OUR PEOPLE.

ANNEXATION WOULD START A BOOM THAT WOULD GREATLY ADVANCE THE PRICE OF REAL ESTATE IN TEWKSBURY AND IN TIME FORM A SOURCE OF REVENUE THAT WOULD FULLY COMPENSATE US FOR SUPPLYING THE TOWN WITH OUR WATER SERVICE, WITH POLICE AND FIRE PROTECTION, SCHOOLS, SEWERS AND STREET IMPROVEMENTS. WERE TEWKSBURY ANNEXED THE GROWTH IN THAT DIRECTION WOULD BE SO RAPID THAT ATHERTON AND WIGGINVILLE WOULD SOON BE THE CENTRES OF THRIVING RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS IN WHICH NEW INDUSTRIES WOULD RISE TO GIVE READY EMPLOYMENT TO THE PEOPLE IN THE VICINITY. IT SEEMS, THEREFORE, THAT THE PUBLIC SPIRITED MEN OF BOTH CITY AND TOWN SHOULD PUSH THE MOVEMENT TO MAKE TEWKSBURY PART AND PARCEL OF OUR CITY.

The papers are saying that Oil King Rogers is in danger of a prison cell; but according to the statement of Congressman Bourke Cockran all the legal machinery in this land cannot put the owner of $100,000,000 in any jail in the country. Cockran is probably right. Rogers is not going to jail.

VICTORY AHEAD.

That was an eloquent argument which Congressman McCall made in favor of tariff revision as demanded by Massachusetts. He does not believe the tariff schedules should be cast-iron affairs, but that on the contrary they should be changed to meet the ever changing conditions. The standpatters are getting shaky in their position. The forces of truth and right are gathering around the demands of Massachusetts with the assurance that in the end she will win a signal victory as she always does in such matters.

THE ANNEXATION QUESTION.

The sentiment in favor of annexation of Tewksbury is steadily growing, not only in Tewksbury but in this city. Neighborhood meetings are being held in Tewksbury to discuss the matter, and in Lowell very little opposition is heard. It is now proposed that the question shall be put in the warrant for the town meeting of Tewksbury, and that would be a very good idea if the proposition could be fairly presented at the meeting. It would be a serious blow to the movement, however, should the town meeting vote against the broad question of annexation. The residents have not been sufficiently enlightened on the question to act intelligently upon it at a town meeting.

To bring the matter to public attention in Lowell and to secure the views of both sides the aldermen should declare a public hearing at which the arguments pro and con could be advanced.

PROPOSITION TO PENSION TEACHERS.

The state board of education recommends the pensioning of teachers on retirement at a certain age. At first the proposition may seem extravagant and unwarranted, but when we consider that England pensions her teachers on arrival at a certain age, the scheme should not meet with general opposition here.

Dr. Osler would chloroform most people on reaching the age of 65. We would grant them a pension instead and let them end their lives in peace, if conditions were favorable and the necessary funds available. We assume that one of the reasons why the state board has suggested pensions for teachers is to avoid the necessity of retiring aged teachers who wish to work on until they die in the harness. When a teacher reaches the age of sixty and in some cases earlier, he or she should be superannuated with or without a pension. The schools suffer by retention of teachers after their usefulness has passed. The pension system is one way of getting rid of them. If that cannot be adopted there should be some via media between that and the Osler method.

THE CANAL COMMISSION ON THE RACK.

Poultney Bigelow has put the Panama canal commission on the rack. Secretary Taft is out with a voluminous letter replying to Mr. Bigelow and in his (Mr. Taft's) opinion refuting in detail Mr. Bigelow's charges.

If the charges are true it is well that they were made and if untrue they will do no harm. On the contrary they are likely to do good as having placed the commission on its mettle.

The fact that Secretary Taft has replied in a public document at great length shows how hard Mr. Bigelow hit the commission as a whole and the secretary himself individually. The president at once called for a refutal from Secretary of War Taft and the reply is as big as the annual report of the war department.

If the president and Mr. Taft are so sensitive to criticism in regard to the canal commission and its work, they will probably have good reason to complain before the work shall have been well begun.

There is no doubt whatever that the conditions in Panama have been painted much better than they are in order to induce laborers and others to go there. That being so it is an easy matter for any correspondent to show up the misrepresentations. Mr. Bigelow has done this but he has done more. The only thing that weakens his charges is that he did not remain long enough on the island to see for himself so that he could speak from personal observation or even verify the stories told him by residents against the administration.

BANKER CAUGHT

Was Arrested for the Boston Police

[illegible] Vito [illegible] Cosaf[illegible] of the firm of Crisafulli [illegible] conducted the [illegible] at 21 North street, [illegible] arrested yesterday in New York [illegible] instigation of the Boston police, charged with grand larceny.

It is [illegible] that the arrested man, who is [illegible] reported in New York, was implicated [illegible] the disappearance of about $[illegible] deposits.

The [illegible] bank went out of existence [illegible] Monday and coincident with [illegible] of the bank, the junior partner [illegible] took his departure.

The bank was an adjunct to a grocery store which Scrocca opened six months ago and, contrary to the law passed last year compelling a house carrying on banking to give bonds for $[illegible], Scrocca began to take the hard earned money of some of the Italians in the district.

In about six months he did a fund of fice business, and he also sold bonds and drafts for the payment of being sent to Italy where the old folks were calling for funds.

This system of drafts was responsible for the discontinuance of the bank, and the clamorous depositors went to Lawyer Joseph T. Zottoli and aired their trouble. After listening to their story he became satisfied that everything was not right and he applied to the court for a warrant.

Previous to the issue of the warrant, Crisafulli, the New York partner, heard that the bank was closed and, as he said, he came over to investigate. With a sheriff he went into the office, broke open the safe, and found only books. Nothing was discovered that would lead to the whereabouts of the missing partner.

The presence of Crisafulli in the city became known to many of the depositors, and that evening a score of them corralled him at the house where he was stopping and tried to get a writ to restrain him from leaving the city, but he left for New York before the writ could be served.

FATHER AT 82

BABY BORN TO MR. AND MRS. KOPKE

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—At the age of 82 Edward Augustus Kopke became the father of a baby boy, born a few days ago at 18 Spring street, Cambridge. The other children of his present family are Edward, 20 years of age, Martha 17, Hilda 16 and Laura 7.

Mr. Kopke is a native of Oporto, Portugal. He is an unusually well educated man, who speaks six languages. In early life he was a civil engineer, and the owner of a large foundry in Oporto. He married at the age of 21 and had two daughters. After his first wife died things went badly with him and he lost his business and most of his wealth.

Twenty-one years ago he married again, his wife being only 17 years of age. Several years ago Mr. Kopke retired from active business.

AFTER 53 YEARS

GIRL CHUMS MET IN ATTLEBORO YESTERDAY.

ATTLEBORO, Jan. 15. There was a reunion in Attleboro yesterday of two women who were schoolmates 53 years ago who had not met each other since. The parties are Mrs. Jennie Eaton of Malden and Mrs. Daniel H. Smith of this town.

Both women were born in Surrey, N. H., 71 years ago, their ages being the same, almost to a day. They grew up together as children, attending the same schools. Throughout the neighborhood the girls were known as the "inseparable twins."

After their marriage the girls drifted apart. Most of the time Mrs. Smith has lived in Attleboro with her husband, and not long ago the couple celebrated their golden wedding. Mrs. Eaton took up her residence in Malden.

Recently Mrs. Eaton learned of Mrs. Smith's residence in Attleboro and decided to renew the acquaintance of olden time.

DIED OF JOY

MOTHER HEARD SON WAS GOING TO VISIT HER.

DERBY, Conn., Jan. 15.—Representative George F. Clarke of this city returned yesterday from Sheffield, Eng., where he went expecting to pass the holidays with his parents, whom he had not seen in 30 years. The news of his coming was kept from the mother until the day before his arrival. When his father told her, she gave an exclamation of joy and then fell to the floor dead.

MR. WHEELOCK

IS READY TO PUT UP A MODERN STRUCTURE.

Andrew C. Wheelock, the owner of the building in upper Merrimack street which has been condemned by Supt. O'Connor of the lands and buildings department, would like to make some arrangement with the superintendent whereby he could repair the building until the spring, at which time, he says, he would be willing to tear down the building and build a modern structure.

He has had men at work during the past week repairing the wooden building next to the condemned one.

Supt. O'Connor, however, states that the brick building cannot be repaired and must be torn down. Mr. Wheelock's reason for wanting to wait until the spring to tear down the building is that it would be more advantageous than at the present time.

MAD DOGS

CAUSED GREAT PANIC IN TEN TOWNS.

GREAT BARRINGTON, Jan. 15—Ten towns in this locality are in the terror of a [illegible] scare, covering several days past, [illegible] which one woman and a boy have been badly bitten and are now in a dangerous condition, and several other persons severely bitten by some one of [illegible] dogs, supposed to be affected [illegible]. Posses of police have caught [illegible] dogs, two of which have been [illegible] but the third is yet at large.

ATTACKS TARIFF

Revision Needed at Once Says Douglas

BROCKTON, Jan. 15.—Former Governor William L. Douglas issued a statement today declaring himself unreservedly in favor of immediate revision of the tariff, and stating that the interests of Massachusetts demand the admission, duty free, of hides, sole leather, coal, lumber, iron ore, and wood pulp.

Mr. Douglas devoted the principal part of his statement to the probable effect of tariff revision on the branch of industry in which he is engaged—the manufacture of shoes. He said in part:

"The total value of the product of the shoe industry in Massachusetts for 1904 was $166,709,642, which is considerably more than half the total product of the country, which for the year 1905 is estimated at $313,000,000.

"With free hides, free sole leather and free coal, I believe the shoe manufacturers of Massachusetts could show an increase in their export trade equal to 25 per cent of the present product, which would be $41,427,410.

"As a manufacturer, I ask for a revised tariff. I would gladly give up the duty of 25 per cent on shoes for free raw materials. I will go farther than this, and say that I would exchange the duty on shoes for free hides and sole leather.

"If the handicap of taxed leather were taken away, I could manufacture shoes as cheaply as any foreign manufacturer, and could safely meet the competition of the world.

"We are held back, however, by the high cost of materials that enter into our product. Give our manufacturers free raw materials and they will carry Massachusetts goods into every market of the world.

"Sole leather costs 40 per cent more now than it did in 1897. Most of the leathers used in the top of shoes have increased but 10 per cent.

"Manufacturers have been able to overcome this great increase in cost of raw materials by the improvement in machinery, change of method in manufacture and by doing a larger volume of business at a lower percentage of profit.

"But now we have reached our limit. Today shoe manufacturers cannot reduce the cost of labor or the cost of materials, and they cannot take a smaller profit and remain in business.

"We must secure relief by the repeal of the duty on sole leather. Failing in this we must increase the price of shoes or make them of less value for the money now paid by the wearer."

BURGLARS

ENTERED THE ELIOT HOSPITAL IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—It became known last night that the Eliot private hospital, at 38 Commonwealth avenue, one of the best and most expensive hospitals in the state, had been entered by burglars and articles stolen valued at about $200.

The only clew the police have is a more or less accurate description of one suspicious looking man seen in the vicinity the night the burglary was committed.

The burglary was reported to Captain Donovan early Friday morning, with the request that it be kept quiet.

The burglar climbed through a window from a narrow lane.

The room entered was occupied by Edwin L. King, who is a temporary visitor at the house, but not a patient. In his quarters were a gold watch and a fob, a camera, a coat, shirts and other clothing. The burglar took all he could lay his hands on. He did not disturb Mr. King or any of the patients, many of whom are critically ill.

"We do not suspect anybody in the house," it was said at the hospital last night, "and there are few in the building who know that any thief was here. Some of our patients are critically ill and we are glad there was no excitement."

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20 Long Overcoats in young men's sizes 31 to 36 breast—all smart cut, stylish garments in attractive patterns—were up to $10—but now marked **$6.00**

Another

43 Men's Overcoats, black and oxford Meltons,—52 inches long—all made with satin sleeve linings and with these a few fancy Paddocks and Tourist overcoats—were $15, $20, $22—the collection now **$10**

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GEN'L DALTON

Is Suffering From Mental Collapse

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—"Gen. Dalton wouldn't be able to understand what you might say to him," were the words with which a reporter was answered when he sought an interview with the former adjutant-general of the Massachusetts militia yesterday at the sanatorium where he is seeking relief from a serious mental and nervous trouble.

Gen. Dalton's present condition is believed by his friends to be one of the consequences of the complications in the affairs of the Provident Securities & Banking company, of which he was president during the strenuous days when Charles D. Gurley was the "man behind the throne."

For some time past the ex-adjutant general has suffered from an organic trouble and the worry which was entailed upon him when the troubles of the Provident company approached a crisis found him ill able to meet the strain. Since the scandal first appeared in the newspapers Gen. Dalton has been in retirement, and every effort to obtain a statement from him has failed. It was known to most of his friends that he was suffering severely in consequence of the scandal, but it will be news to most of them that his condition is as serious as at present it appears to be.

When a reporter asked at the sanatorium yesterday if Gen. Dalton was there the reply was:

"Yes, but you cannot see him."

"Is he able to see visitors?"

"No, not at all. The doctors order that none but his most intimate friends shall visit him and even they are not to do so often."

"Is he able to be up and about?"

"Yes; physically he is fairly vigorous but mentally he is ill. He wouldn't be able to understand anything you might talk with him about."

Gen. Dalton, though by no means a well man, was able to be about town as late as four weeks ago, and his mental collapse came about simultaneously with the collapse of the concern with which he had been identified as president.

IS UNDER ARREST

Man Had Made Complaint of Larceny

BURLINGTON, Vt., Jan. 15.—As the result of an investigation yesterday of an alleged attempt at burglary on the premises of F. Ganyeau, the complainant himself was arrested charged with having in his possession unlawfully property of the U. S. army, and with the illegal sale of liquor.

Ganyeau was aroused yesterday morning, he claims, by the noise of men trying to break into his house which is situated on the edge of the government reservation at Fort Ethan Allen. He fired a gun in the air and a moment later saw three soldiers running away. He reported the matter to the officers at the fort, and an investigation was begun by a squad of soldiers under the command of Captain Henry C. Smithers. The latter officer noticed considerable government property in Ganyeau's house and he made a thorough search of the place and seized all articles known to be army property, including uniforms, belts, accoutrements for the horses and a large quantity of oil. Capt. Smithers then placed Ganyeau under arrest.

During his search the officer also discovered a large quantity of liquor and he notified the county authorities who also brought charges against Ganyeau. Ganyeau claims that the goods seized by the military officials belonged to non-commissioned officers who had used his house for a club room. Ganyeau has long been suspected of selling liquor to the soldiers.

Two soldiers were later arrested charged with the burglary of Ganyeau's house.

FOR CAMBRIDGE POLICE.

Inspector Maher and Officer Bumps, Saturday evening arrested John E. Farrell of Cambridge for the Cambridge police. Farrell is wanted for larceny. He was taken to Cambridge yesterday afternoon.

HOUSE BURNED

While Family Was at Funeral

HYDE PARK, Jan. 15.—The old saying that "misfortunes never come singly," was forcibly illustrated in the home of the Firstein family, which lives at 7 Poydras street.

Last Friday morning the husband and father, Adler Firstein, was killed on the tracks of the Midland division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad, close by East River street station. The accident happened within 300 feet of his home, which he had just left, and was witnessed by his wife and children, who were standing at the front door of the house bidding him goodby as he started out for his day's work.

His funeral took place yesterday morning, and at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, while the interment was taking place at the cemetery in Dedham, the house took fire and was partially destroyed. The alarm was rung in from box 48 and the department had a long and hard run through the snow to the house, more than a mile away.

The fire started on the second floor and was caused by an overheated stove. When the funeral party left the house, fresh coal was put on the fire, the drafts of the stove were left open and a boy cautioned to look out for it.

The upper part of the house was gutted and the roof partially burned, causing a loss on the building of about $800, insured for $1500. The loss on the household effects was about $300, insured for $500.

WAR WAGED

AGAINST THE RACE TRACK AT SALEM.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 15.—Pres. William J. Tucker of Dartmouth college and Ex-U. S. Dist. Atty. Oliver L. Branch of Manchester were speakers at a largely attended mass meeting conducted by the Manchester ministerial association, to register a protest against the invasion of New Hampshire by the New England breeders' club, which was granted an exclusive charter at the last session of the legislature.

Both speakers came out strongly in favor of a special session of the legislature for the purpose of repealing the charter or the enactment of rigid anti-gambling laws, if the state supreme court does not hand down a decision that there is law enough to prevent pool selling.

Pres. Edmund F. Higgins of the Manchester board of trade, presided at the meeting and a score of Manchester ministers, lawyers and prominent citizens had seats on the platform.

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BEAUPRE DEAD

Springfield Man Fatally Assaulted

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Jan. 15.—Peter Beaupre, a hostler and night watchman at the C. S. Reed coal pocket, corner of Eastern avenue and Logan street, died yesterday afternoon in Springfield hospital as the result of an assault committed during Saturday night. At a late hour last night the police had secured no good clews to the murderer.

A REWARD

FOR CAPTURE OF TRAIN WRECKERS.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Jan. 15.—The B. & M. railroad has offered a reward of $1000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who tampered with the switches and tracks at Walloomsac January 6 and caused the derailment and wreck of a passenger train.

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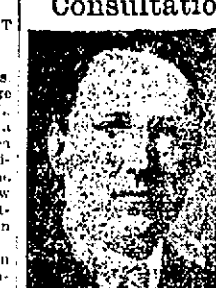

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ANNUAL REPORTS

Of First Trinitarian Church Read

HIGH TRIBUTE TO REV. MR. WILMOTT

Notes From the Pulpit Utterances Yesterday

Yesterday was a great day for the First Trinitarian Congregational church. It marked the 13th anniversary of the pastorate of the Rev. George F. Kenngott, who preached an interesting sermon on "The Annual Survey."

In the morning Mr. Kenngott made his annual report and in the evening the officers and committees reported. The reports showed that all running expenses have been met and there has been a healthy reduction in the church debt.

The present membership of the church is 764, 220 males and 544 females.

The members who died during the year were: Mrs. Mary W. Cooledge, aged 73 years, died Feb. 9, 1905; Mrs. Hannah M. Gilman, aged 73 years, died Aug. 2, 1905; Frank G. Johnson, aged 42 years, died Sept. 4, 1905; George R. Bleakley, died Sept. 4, 1905; Mrs. Helen Hillman, aged 30 years, died Oct. 22, 1905; Mrs. Sybil D. Parsons, aged 58 years, died Nov. 19, 1905; Liston E. Perry, (not reported in 1904) aged 20 years, died May 10, 1904.

The treasurer's report concludes as follows:

"We close the year 1905 with all bills paid, with a surplus of $702.08 and with the church debt reduced to $6,500."

Y. M. C. A. MEETING.

The Y. M. C. A. men's meeting yesterday afternoon was addressed by Rev. Tillman B. Johnson of Dorchester. He had for his subject "A Young Man's Glory." He said in part:

"Nothing is too good for God. Music, art, architecture, in everything we should give Him the best. We need to become more wise. Preachers, teachers and citizens, who cease to grow wise will soon cease to live. There is no excuse for ignorance in the world today with all the art, literature and science. We should have divine and human character blended into one, making a glory of manhood. We should have glory of manhood; build it pure, clean and sound. It is better to be something than to have something. One of the best mottoes I have seen is, 'To lose wealth is to lose nothing; to lose health is to lose something; to lose character is to lose all.' It is the royal character within the bosom that makes you a man.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

"One for a Thousand" was Dr. Wallace's sermon subject at the First Baptist church Sunday morning and in the evening he preached on the subject, "One for One."

"The gospel I preach," said Dr. Wallace, "is that every Christian should be an evangelist."

FIRST CONG. CHURCH.

The annual reports of the First Congregational church were read after the evening service, Sunday.

The treasurer's report showed that the total receipts for the year were $1270.25; disbursements $1229.81; balance on hand, $40.47.

Mr. Cutler reported for the Sunday school. The total membership is 465, average attendance for the year 168.22.

Deacon J. H. Kimball reported on the state of the church and Mrs. Arthur Bertlett reported for the Maternal Association. The Women's Missionary Society was reported by Mrs. W. H. Thayer. The society has turned more than $160 into the treasury of the Andover and Woburn branches, besides other contributions to mission work.

Deacon Liddell read a letter from the church at Townsend, containing resolutions on the removal of Rev. Benjamin A. Wilmott, who has accepted the pastorate of the First church here.

The resolutions paid a very high tribute to Rev. Mr. Wilmott as an ideal pastor.

THE AMERICAN WOMAN.

At the Westminster Presbyterian church yesterday Rev. A. P. Gibson preached on "The Home." He said the trouble today is that American women give their time too much to social life, pleasure and business, to the club, society, and the mart; and turn their children's training over too much to the hired nurse, the kindergarten and the school. Good as these agencies are, he said they can never be superseded by the training of the parents, especially a good mother's influence. The home is not merely for display. It is for the drilling of the boys and girls for life. The Christian home is the bulwark of the nation.

HE SAID GOOD BYE.

Rev. Robert F. True severed his pastorate at the Immanuel Baptist church with the evening service last night. In the morning he preached on the topic "Hands of Blessing," and in the evening his topic, "The Heroes of the Daily Task," was based upon the text, "They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength." Isaiah 40.31. At the close of the sermon Mr. True spoke about the four years of his pastorate, what the church had accomplished in that time, and he made reference to the friendly relations that had always existed between pastor and people.

HIGHLAND M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. B. F. Kingsley preached on the topic "Weighed in the Balance," at the Highland Methodist church last evening. There was special music consisting of an Allelulia anthem, with solos by Miss Rose Wright and Miss Ethel Roy; a duet, "The Handwriting on the Wall," by the pastor and his wife; a solo, "God is Weighing You, My Brother," by Miss Mabelle Fay Kingsley, and selections by the orchestra.

FRED LAKE

NOT TO COACH THE HARVARD TEAM.

According to Coach Coburn of the Harvard nine, Fred Lake has not been hired to coach the Crimson baseball players this spring. The story published yesterday morning was shown to Mr. Coburn who promptly denied its [illegible]

POLICE SEARCH

For Chinaman and His White Wife

PITTSBURG, Penn., Jan. 15. Yee Sing Lee, [illegible] gambler, who eloped to Youngstown on Saturday with pretty Miss Maxine Tomphins, is in hiding with his bride in Allegheny, and all of [illegible] the police to find [illegible] availing.

The [illegible] have asked that the [illegible] couple, but [illegible] made against them, but [illegible] be arrested if wanted.

The [illegible] of the [illegible] found that he was [illegible] to a woman in Boston [illegible] with [illegible]

It is [illegible] that Lee and his white bride have already [illegible] and fled.

Local Chinamen [illegible] all in their power to [illegible] declare that Lee was [illegible] San Francisco and New York for [illegible] killing [illegible]

Lee has been in this country for years [illegible] spent in [illegible] first papers [illegible] years ago.

WANTED

WANTED—Second hand furniture, rolled top desks, show cases, etc. We pay the highest spot cash prices. F. S. Edwards, [illegible] Liberty Square.

WANTED—500 feet second-hand plank. State price, where it is. R. H., 17, Sun.

WANTED—Children to board in the country. Desirable home, terms reasonable. Address Nelson, R. F. D., Billerica Centre.

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WANTED—Cash paid for second hand furniture, carpets, stoves, clothing, tools, watches, etc. Call or write Lowell Loan Co., 529 Dutton st.

SATURDAY NIGHT CLERKS are invited to lunch at Corey's, 43 Prescott st. Service neat and quick.

CLERKS—Wanted to take their lunch at Corey's, 43 Prescott street. Table D'Hote dinner, only 25 cents.

BOARDERS WANTED—Pensioners, both male and female, good home for winter, on line of electrics, a few miles out. Address D. L. T. 65 Merrimack st., Lowell, Care H. C. Wilder.

WANTED—Everybody to try one dollar's worth of our dry hard wood kindlings. Wm. K. Aldrich Co., 589 Dutton st.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line, take Boston car.

SITUATIONS WANTED

AMERICAN LADY wants a situation as housekeeper for a widower. Call No. 6 Manahan st.

SITUATION WANTED by a young man who speaks English and Greek, has good references. Louis Arniotis, 52 Fenwick st.

DRESSMAKER and tailoress, first-class, would work in private families, will also take sewing home if more convenient. Mrs. D. Muck removed to 5 Osgood st.

EXPERIENCED lady stenographer wants a situation, would do bookkeeping and general office work. Address O. D., Sun Office.

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FOR SALE—4 thoroughbred barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, $2 to $3 each. Reliable Poultry Yards, Elsmere.

FOR SALE—Hulled Corn and Hominy business, must be sold as I have other business. Apply at 153 Gorham st.

FOR SALE—Spanish poodle pups at 324 Thorndike st.

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FOR SALE—A lot of land containing 3561 square feet of land within 2 minutes' walk from the Northern depot. An excellent place to build on. A gilt edge investment. Price 20 cents per foot. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

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P. COGGER, the truck man, 438 Riverside st. has purchased a lot of dry wood, hard and soft, which he will sell at the lowest prices. This wood must be sold at once in order to make work for his men and teams. Order at once. Telephone.

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LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of [illegible] contained in a certain mortgage given by Thomas C. Lee [illegible] Rhoda P. Coburn, dated [illegible] and recorded with Middlesex [illegible] Registry of Deeds, book 28 [illegible] for breach of the conditions [illegible] said mortgage deed [illegible] public auction on the premises [illegible] the first day of February [illegible] o'clock in the afternoon, all [illegible] the premises hereinafter described.

A certain [illegible] land in said Lowell [illegible] down on a plan of land [illegible] land in Lowell surveyed [illegible] April, 1898 [illegible] and described as follows [illegible] on the westerly [illegible] at the northerly [illegible] premises at a point which [illegible] feet and fifty-eight feet [illegible] from the southeasterly corner [illegible] of the Evans and a [illegible] corner of other land belonging to the estate of H. A. & S. A. Coburn, thence westerly along said last named land [illegible] to a corner; thence northerly along said last named land, 158 feet to a wall at land of said Evans, thence westerly along the wall and by said Evans [illegible] feet to a corner of the wall, thence northerly along said last named land, and by the wall, 27.50 feet to a stone bound at land of one Walsh, thence northwesterly along said last named land and at an angle of [illegible] degs. [illegible] min., 307.60 feet to a stone bound at land formerly of one Jennings, thence southerly at an angle of 44 deg. 11 min. along said last named land, 472.10 feet to a stone bound at land of one Parker; thence easterly along said last named land, 27.50 feet to a stone bound; thence southerly and southeasterly along said Parker land and along land of one Jenness and one Twiss, 92.00 feet to a stone bound at land of one Kilpatrick, at a corner of the wall; thence easterly at an angle of 93 deg. 20 min. along said Kilpatrick land, and by the wall, 83.59 feet to a bound at said Stevens st.; thence at an angle of 86 deg. 22 min., northerly along said Stevens street, 16.42 feet to a bound at the point of beginning. Containing 17 and 26-100 acres, more or less. Saving and excepting out of the above description any and all lots of land which have heretofore been released from this mortgage.

Purchaser will be required to deposit with or secure to the auctioneer ($300) three hundred dollars when property is struck off. Other terms made known at time and place of sale.

CALEB L. SMITH,
Executor of Rhoda P. Coburn.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law and all persons interested in the estate of Michael Duffy, late of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, testate.

Whereas, Bridget Duffy, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented her petition for authority to mortgage certain real estate therein described, of the estate of said deceased, to raise the sum of three hundred dollars, for the purposes of paying the allowance to herself as widow.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the sixteenth day of January A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary O'Toole, late of Billerica, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court, for probate, by Edward O'Toole, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the sixteenth day of January A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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LEGAL NOTICES

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex.

Respectfully libels and represents Ethel F. Hayward of Lowell, in said County, that she was lawfully married to William [illegible] Hayward, now of Seville, Florida [illegible] on the [illegible] of September A. D. 1896, and that [illegible] Lowell [illegible] as husband and wife [illegible] to wit: in Lowell; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said William [illegible] the [illegible] day of November [illegible] utterly deserted your libellant [illegible] desertion has continued more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and said William G. Also that [illegible] been born to your libellant [illegible] Hayward, to wit: September [illegible] and your libellant prays [illegible] may be committed to her [illegible] body.

Dated this tenth day of January A. D. 1906.

ETHEL F. HAYWARD.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, January 11, A. D. 1906.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of February next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon,

Attest:

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Jan. 12, 1906. The Committee on Mercantile Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition (with accompanying bill, House No. 29) of George Ward Cook for incorporation with authority to purchase water power and mill privileges and to exercise other rights at or near Mitchell's Falls on the Merrimac river, at room No. 431, State House, on Friday, Jan. 19, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. Daniel W. Lane, Chairman. Thomas L. Davis, Clerk of the Committee.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Eva M. Eselting of Cambridge, in said County, that she was lawfully married to Weston Eselting, now of Bangor, State of New York, at Bangor, State of New York on the 10th day of November, A. D. 1896, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Weston lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at Cambridge, that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Weston being wholly regardless of the same, at Bangor, State of New York on or about the first day of December, A. D. 1901, being of sufficient ability, grossly, wantonly and cruelly refuses and neglects to provide suitable maintenance for your libellant.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Weston.

Dated this 8th day of January A. D. 1906.

EVA MAY ESELTINE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, Jan. 12, A. D. 1906.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of February next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

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THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

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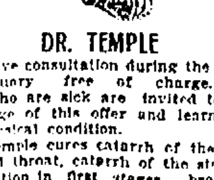

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WANTED—Pattern maker. Apply at [illegible] Machine Co., 85 Whipple st.

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WANTED—A [illegible] girl at 20 Webster [illegible]

WANTED—A [illegible] girl at [illegible]

WANTED—[illegible] chamber maid, [illegible] American Hotel.

WANTED—Middle aged man to work [illegible] steady job [illegible] Apply at Hildreth st.

WANTED—[illegible] girls at [illegible] Walker and West Adams [illegible]

WANTED—Lady or gentleman of fair [illegible] to travel [illegible] of $2,000 [illegible] year, payable [illegible] Address [illegible] Lowell Mass.

WANTED—A girl for general house [illegible] Fort Hill ave.

WANTED—At once, [illegible] house girls, [illegible] and cooks at the Bay State [illegible] Bureau, [illegible] Bay State [illegible] Lawrence, Mass.

[illegible] everywhere, to tack [illegible] samples, etc. [illegible] Adv. Co., [illegible]

WANTED—A kitchen girl at once. 24 [illegible]

WE PAY INDUSTRIOUS MEN for [illegible] steady employment to [illegible] satisfactory, or who will [illegible] effort. Apply [illegible] room 4, Grosvenor Block, Merrimack and Bridge sts.

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JOB PRINTERS and bright, energetic [illegible] to work in a clean, light, non-union [illegible] office. Good wages to right parties. Address F. M. Vawter, care The Sun, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Agents, male and female, to devote whole or part time selling one of the best accident and health policies on the market, paying partial disability and convalescence indemnity, a good side line for industrious agents; good commission. Address Workmen's Casualty Co., 161 Devonshire st., Boston.

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WANTED—Man with team to haul logs and lumber. Address Merrill Lumber & Forestry Co., South Stoddard, N. H.

TABLE GIRL wanted at once. Merrimac House.

WANTED—A girl for general housework, must be capable and obliging. 231 Central st.

WANTED—Girl between 14 and 16 to help mind baby in Belvidere and go home nights. Apply A. L. T., Sun Office.

SILVERWARE CO. OF BOSTON wants 5 lady canvassers. Salary or commission. Address A. S. T., Sun Office.

WANTED—Good, smart woman to do housework, family of four. Call after 6 p. m., 112 Howard st.

WANTED—At once, ten good lady skaters to travel. Address P. O. Box 412, Lowell.

HELP WANTED—Drop forgers, sheet metal workers, machinists, screw machine and general machine hands, on automobile work. State age, experience and wages wanted. Locomobile Co. of America, Bridgeport, Conn.

MEN AND BOYS wanted to learn plumbing trade, pays $5 day after completing course of practical instruction at home or in our schools. Graduates admitted to Union and Master Plumbers' Association. Positions secured. Coyne Bros.' Co., Plumbing Schools, New York, Chicago, Ill., Cincinnati, O., St. Louis, Mo. Free catalogue.

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Apply at 8 Washington st.

WANTED—Men and teams to haul lumber to cars, also for logging job. Address Merrill Lumber & Forestry Co., So. Stoddard, N. H.

WANTED—A table girl. Apply 153 Plenum st., Navy Yard.

WANTED—Loopers, $12 a week standing [illegible] Inquire 93 White st., Pawtucketville, city.

WANTED—For the U. S. marine corps, able-bodied, unmarried men between 21 and 35, of good character, must speak, read and write English and be citizens of the U. S.; marines serve at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world and in our island possessions and at naval stations in the U. S. Apply at Post Office Building, Lowell, Mass.

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WANTED—First class table girls, chamber girls, cooks and kitchen girls for seashore and mountains; high wages; also a few general housegirls wanted. Prescott Employment Bureau, 74 Prescott st., in the jewelry store.

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Strictly private advice and book free. Short wait, prompt, efficient, references everywhere, [illegible] in all counties in Massachusetts, low fee, easily paid. Our only office [illegible] Lawyer, 47 Court st., Room 11, Boston, Mass.

BUSINESS MEN are better satisfied at Corey's Lunch, 43 Prescott street than at any other lunch room in the city. Service neat and quick.

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THE [illegible] millinery, plain sewing [illegible] making, open [illegible] [illegible] st.

JOHN H. [illegible] is going into the [illegible] new wagons, [illegible] is ready for engagements.

A [illegible] for chemmattery [illegible] Middlesex st. [illegible]

NOTICE—[illegible] Hutchinson [illegible] residents of New York [illegible] at once at office [illegible] in this city. Lowell [illegible] 1906.

MME. [illegible] Parlors, 50 [illegible] st., Lowell, Mass. [illegible] readings [illegible]

NEW SPECIAL PRESENTS—We have [illegible] presents which we give away with each [illegible] teas and fresh roasted coffees. [illegible] Tea Store, 63 Merrimack st.

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GROVE CREAMERY delivers fresh cream to all parts of the city. F. H. [illegible]

REMNANTS—[illegible] goods and perfect goods. Special reduction sale to reduce stock of winter goods before Jan. 1st. Some of these goods at cost, some below cost, others at reduced prices. Ladies' suitings and goods for children's wear a specialty. Buy your Christmas presents here. Open evenings until 9 o'clock during sale excepting Friday evening. Merrimack Remnant Depot, near cor. Lakeview ave. and Pawtucket st.

CHIMNEYS built and repaired at short notice with Portland Cement Mortar. Smith Brothers, 190 School st. Tel. 1707-3.

IF YOU WANT to look stylish you should get your Stiff Hat at Delorme's. We clean your Hat free if you purchase of us at 261 Middlesex st. We are Hat Makers and know our business. Call and see us.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

MISCELLANEOUS

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO.—Ladies, when you are thinking of buying a sewing machine call and see us. Our machines are up-to-date, ball bearing, light running, durable and reliable. A guarantee with every machine. Give us a call, 70 Bridge st., close to the square.

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MONEY—The best place in the city to borrow money is from the U. S. Loan Co., 50 Prescott st.

THE WONDERFUL DRINK, GLORIA, gives youthful vigor, and a day of new life in every drink. Boyle Bros., Telephone.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A lady's sable fox muff Saturday night on Merrimack st. or in the department stores. Suitable reward at the Sun Office.

FOUND—A bank book on Merrimack st., Saturday night. Inquire Mr. James Newton, 430 Adams st.

LOST—Small gold locket with letter [illegible] engraved on one side. Return to A. R. Campbell, 407 Middlesex st. for reward.

LOST—A wagon tire of rubber, between post office and Plain st. school. Finder return to O. P. Davis' stable and receive reward.

FOUND—A fountain pen which the owner can have by giving correct description and paying for this ad. Call at 10 C st. before 5 o'clock p. m.

LOST—A dull gold, heart-shaped locket, with small photo inside, on Cross or Fletcher sts. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to M. Kennedy, 20 Adams st.

TO LET

TO LET—Elegant furnished rooms, centrally located, steam heat, modern conveniences. Connected rooms or single. 26 West Sixth st.

TO LET—Store and two rooms in connection with same. Would make good place for a variety store or dressmaker. Is convenient for almost any kind of business in good paying locality. Inquire 33 Lobmount st.

TO LET—A 6-room tenement, $9 per month, 122 Fayette st. Key at 174 East Merrimack st.

TO LET—A good tenement at a low rent at 26 Austin st., everything separate.

TO LET—Tenement of 3 rooms and pantry, rent low. Inquire 12 Sydney st.

TO LET—A nice clean, newly painted tenement of 3 rooms and attic for $1.25 a week. Reference required. Inquire at 12 Jewett st.

TO LET—A house and barn at 26 Coolgrove st.

TO LET—On Bridge st., tenement of 9 rooms, good locality for roomers. Apply Henry Miller & Son, 2 Wyman's Exchange.

TO LET—In new block, flats, 5 rooms each, bath and pantry, hot and cold water, set tubs, open plumbing. Inquire 41 Whipple st.

TO LET—A barn on Middlesex street for $5 per month. Will change to suit tenant. Good place for storage of any kind. See at once. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

TO LET—A 7-room cottage in Barclay st., near Westford house is in best of repair, cemented cellar, pleasant location, near the street cars and schools. This house will be vacant Jan. 17, rent $12 per month. First come first served. Apply at once. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

TO LET—5 room flat, new block, open plumbing, hot and cold water, set wash tubs. S. A. Moore, 41 Whipple st.

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TENEMENT TO LET—Five rooms and bath at 41 Schafer st.

TO LET—Well heated and furnished front room, every convenience and best locality. 151 Andover st.

TO LET—At 61 Tyler st. house of 12 rooms, steam heat and bath, hot and cold water, newly painted and repaired. Apply to George H. Walker, 219 Central or 633 Wilder st.

BARN TO LET—Rear of 58 Tyler st., 2 stalls, one box stall, large carriage room. Apply to George H. Walker, 219 Central or 633 Wilder st.

ROOM—Desirable, sunny front room to let with first class board. 242 Westford st., Mrs. Saunders.

FIVE ROOM FLAT—All modern improvements, with new Glenwood range with hot water attachment. Inquire of John Nolan, 844 Central st.

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NOTICE—Boarding house under new management located 731 Lawrence st., cor. South Whipple st., large airy rooms, furnace heat, gas and bath. Rooms with or without board.

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MONEY TO LOAN on collateral, Lowell Loan Co., 529 Dutton st., near Fletcher.

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FOR SALE—In the Highlands, house of nine rooms. Will be sold low as owner has left the city. Apply Henry Miller & Son, 2 Wyman's Exchange.

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FOR SALE—Nice corner lot of land near Textile school. Must be sold at once. Come and make me an offer. Address 529 Dutton st.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.45	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.25	7.40	6.50	7.56
6.59	7.30	7.34	8.54
[illegible]	7.33	8.15	8.50
[illegible]	8.00	9.00	9.57
7.21	8.06	10.00	[illegible]
7.31	8.50	10.17	11.20
7.48	8.35	11.30	12.07
7.58	8.58	12.00	12.52
8.49	9.35	1.00	1.37
9.33	10.19	2.00	[illegible]
[illegible]	12.03	3.00	[illegible]
11.38	12.19	3.47	[illegible]
12.12	1.00	4.14	[illegible]
1.40	2.25	5.00	[illegible]
2.51	3.45	5.58	[illegible]
3.47	4.33	5.47	6.34
4.28	5.30	6.14	[illegible]
5.28	6.15	7.20	[illegible]
5.49	7.00	8.51	[illegible]
6.12	7.55	10.51	11.34
7.21	8.15	11.20	12.21

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.53	7.58	7.30	8.31
8.00	8.51	9.25	10.34
9.25	10.29	10.50	11.40
10.54	11.52	11.50	1.00
[illegible]	2.22	2.15	3.15
[illegible]	[illegible]	3.21	4.00
2.25	3.22	[illegible]	5.50
3.10	4.06	6.00	7.02
3.55	5.00	6.33	7.45
5.05	6.40	9.40	10.35
[illegible]	6.40	*11.15	12.11
6.15	7.10		
7.09	[illegible]		
9.30	[illegible]		

*Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.
† Via Wilmington Jct.

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.33	7.20	9.00	10.06
7.23	8.05	10.00	10.32
8.48	9.40	11.31	12.03
9.20	10.15	1.00	1.37
10.30	11.35	5.00	6.05
2.25	3.22	7.30	8.09
5.11	6.00	8.31	[illegible]
6.15	6.55	9.00	10.02
7.31	8.15	10.10	11.20

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.15	9.25	8.50	[illegible]
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.05
3.53	4.50	3.05	4.25
5.35	6.50	8.40	9.35
8.45	9.25		

LOCAL NEWS

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Mr. W. H. Ward and daughters of this city are spending the month with his daughter, Mrs. F. S. Pearson, of Great Barrington, Mass.

M. Little & Co., 476 Bridge street, corner Third, commence a new (the third) business year in their present location today, having taken account of stock and closed up the old year last week. During 1906 the firm will be "on deck" with a larger and better selected stock, and trust to merit the kind patronage of their old customers and to make many new ones by courteous and liberal treatment to all.

DIARIES Lawler's 79 Merrimack st

NOTICE

TO ORGANIZATIONS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Applications for dates in the new hall of the Mathew Temperance Institute will now be received at the M. T. I. rooms, Mansur block, daily from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. The hall is constructed in conformity with the latest ideas and is calculated to give satisfaction for parties, balls, banquets, etc.

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LABOR PARTY GAINS

The Elections Were Held in London Today

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The announcement this afternoon of the re-election of Sir George Doughty, unionist, for Great Grimsby, with a majority of 250 and an increase of 550 over the result of the contest in 1895 proved a welcome pick-me-up to the unionists who were somewhat panicky after Saturday's landslide.

A number of unopposed returns were made this morning, the most notable being Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman in Stirling district, Timothy M. Healy, Irish nationalist, North Louth, and Joseph Devlin, Irish nationalist, North Kilkenny. Including today's returns the results of the elections is as follows:

Liberals 65, unionists 16, Irish nationalists 17, laborites 7.

The Independent labor party has thus already secured more seats than it held in the previous house of commons. The laborites who under the dual flag of "Liberal and Labor" will be found voting with the liberals on all labor questions. These early successes of the laborites foreshadow the presence in the next parliament of a united labor body of considerable strength, forming one of the main surprises of the elections thus far. The labor party can be depended upon to take an entirely independent course under the leadership of James Keir-Hardie, chairman of the Independent labor party and socialists and [illegible] member for Merthyr Tydfil, and all the older factions will have to reckon with the laborites hereafter.

There is polling today in twenty-two London districts and forty-eight provincial boroughs, returning in all seventy-eight members.

FREE TRADE

SCORED A GREAT VICTORY IN SATURDAY'S ELECTION.

LONDON, Jan. 15. "We have killed protection. This is the beginning of such a political upheaval as has not been seen in England since the days of the great reform bill. Manchester has saved herself by her exertions, she will save England by her example."

Thus spoke Winston Churchill Saturday night, and this opinion that free trade has gained a victory is the opinion of the more responsible of the Unionist passengers, though many of them attempt to explain the result of the elections of Saturday as due more to questions like Chinese labor in South Africa, war taxation, etc. Nowhere, however, is there any hint at minimizing the hurricane that has overtaken the Unionist party or a suggestion of doing anything but beat an orderly retreat and save what is possible from the rout.

The question now uppermost in all minds is what fate will befall Joseph Chamberlain in Birmingham.

The Morning Post editorially points out that the temporary prosperity of the cotton industry may have made Manchester slow to accept even the Balfourian measure of tariff reform. It says that should Birmingham follow the example of Manchester, the meaning of the country's voice would no longer be a matter for the slightest doubt.

The Unionist Graphic in a temperate article says:

"It cannot be doubted that the country was not prepared for such a revolution in its fiscal policy and declined to grasp the subtle distinction between free trade and protection as illustrated by Mr. Balfour's half way house."

The Standard in an editorial thinks that the fear of American reprisals on its staple industry in the event of the adoption of fiscal reform largely influenced the [illegible] of the Manchester voters.

The Daily Telegraph says: "The combined forces of radicalism, separatism, socialism and secularism wrought them a black day for the Unionists." The paper admits that the main cause is that the country will not sanction any modification of the free trade system."

The Liberal organs naturally are jubilant. The Daily Chronicle says: "It is a result without parallel in the history of English electioneering and will fill every free trader with deep thankfulness."

The Daily News heralds Winston Churchill as "the rising hope of the liberal party, a man whose career has [illegible] one of the most interesting in the empire."

Mr. Balfour though evidently disappointed at the loss of his seat in Manchester displayed great calmness of demeanor on Saturday night when he delivered an admirably dispassionate and impressive speech. Already the former premier has had several safe seats offered him but as yet he has reached no decision.

Joseph Chamberlain has thus far declined to comment on the result of Saturday's pollings.

Pollings were fixed for yesterday in twenty-one London districts and forty-seven provincial boroughs. The London districts were previously repre-sented by [illegible] unionists and four Liberals. Yesterday's results however, [illegible] a test of [illegible] London [illegible] the lead of Manchester. The most interesting contest will be at Greenwich where there will be a three-cornered struggle owing to the fact that Mr. Chamberlain's [illegible] insisted on putting up a candidate against Lord Hugh Cecil, the leader of the Conservative free traders. The avowed Chamberlainites are also contesting the Hoxton and Haggerston divisions of Shoreditch. Among the provincial contests today will be that of Leeds, where Gerald Balfour, former president of the board of trade, is almost certain to be defeated, he having been badly heckled during the campaign.

BURNED TO DEATH

Two Children Victims of Fire

MAHONOY CITY, Pa., Jan. 15. Two children of Thomas Feely, a fire boss for the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company were burned to death today in a fire which destroyed Feely's home and the residence of Geo. Campbell at Maple Hill near here.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

"Name some of the world's most famous buildings," said a local history teacher to her class one day this week. "The Parthenon at Athens," said one of the girls. "Correct," said the teacher. "Any others?" "The Tower of London," said another girl. "Very good, Nellie" was the teacher's comment. "Who can name a third?" A bright-faced boy raised his hand. "Yes," said the teacher. "Hathaway's Theatre!" shouted the little fellow. And how could the teacher chide him? She had been to Hathaway's herself and knew that there was cause for his childish enthusiasm. Hathaway's is indeed, already one of the city's famous buildings, and is increasing in popularity every day. The coming show is of a degree of merit that will add to its laurels.

One of the finest of the country's vaudeville attractions will appear in the persons of Edwin Keough and company, who are presenting a delightful sketch, entitled "A Bit of Blarney." This production is a surprise indeed in the opportunities it affords Mr. Keough to give an enjoyable exposition of his well-known versatility as an actor, and cannot fail to be a delight to the lover of clean-cut dramatic acting. The act is magnificently staged and costumed, a car-load of special scenery being carried by the company.

Omar Singh, a genuine Hindu yogi, will give an illustration of the mysteries of the Orient in a wonderful and fascinating illusion, entitled "The Flying Lady." By his mystic powers, he causes a beautiful woman to rise from nowhere and float through space at his will. The act has caused a sensation wherever shown in Europe.

An act that is sure to create a veritable riot of laughter all the time it is on the stage is that of W. C. Kelly the famous monologist. Mr. Kelly's unique specialty is the presentation of a Virginia court, in which he takes the parts of the judge, prisoners and everyone else with seemingly successful results.

Sensational in the extreme is the number in which Wills and Hassan appear for acrobatic work. Their marvelous hand-balancing is winning applause all over the vaudeville world.

The Italian trio are three male vocalists, all of whom possess well-trained and melodious voices of great power and range. Their grand opera singing will be a treat to everyone with an ear for music. Carter and Bluford are a colored song and dance team whose offering is an unusually good one. They make up as Indians during their act, and carry a special drop curtain for it. Carlisle's dogs and monkeys are famous as one of the best trained animal shows on the road. New vitagraph pictures complete an exceptionally enjoyable bill.

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CATHOLIC FEAST

Of Holy Name Observed Yesterday

IMPOSING SERVICE AT ST. MICHAEL'S

St. Patrick's to be Dedicated June 17

The feast of the Holy Name of Jesus was observed with special services in all of the Catholic churches of the city, yesterday, but the observance was particularly impressive at St. Michael's church, Centralville, where the Holy Name society numbers over 500 members and is an active organization. Preparatory to the observance of the feast the members of the society held a three days' retreat which was conducted by Rev. Fr. Shaw, pastor. The members then received communion in a body at the 9 o'clock mass yesterday, Rev. Dennis Murphy singing the mass.

The members of the Holy Name society of Collinsville received communion in a body at the 8.30 o'clock mass in St. Mary's church, Collinsville, Rev. Fr. Mullin, spiritual director of the societies of both churches officiating.

At St. Michael's church, in the evening, solemn vespers were sung during which a reception of new members was held, a sermon was preached by Rev. Leo O'Neil of St. Cecilia's church, Boston and the benediction was given.

Rev. John J. Shaw celebrated vespers and the members of the society attended in a body occupying seats in the centre aisle.

The choir under the direction of James A. Murphy rendered a special musical program of a high order.

The sermon by Rev. Fr. O'Neil was an eloquent effort and in the course of his remarks he said:

"I want to offer my congratulations to the Holy Name Society of St. Michael's church on their splendid showing at this service and also do I wish to congratulate the numerous new members who are this night to be enrolled in its ranks. You who are to become soldiers of Christ and assist in the good work which this society will accomplish, by promoting the glory and honor of our blessed Lord.

"We know the prevalence of using that holy name in the vilest manner. Why is it? We find no reason for it.

"In fits of anger, men use in vile association the name of Jesus. It is the duty of you members to see to it, as far as possible, that that name be used only in prayer and benediction.

"At our work in the shops and in the mills we should plead with those who use this sacred name with irreverence to desist. This is not all. We must, ourselves, strive to love Christ and embrace the opportunities that each day affords to live like our blessed Lord.

"How many who profess to be followers of Christ are so in name only? There are a thousand and one things which might cause us, if we allowed them, to draw away from Christ.

"In spiritual matters, as well as in business, the man who has an active, vigorous mind, will live faithful and true and grow in the grace and virtue of our blessed Lord.

"All of us are not equally gifted to attain the same rank, but we know that there is not one of us who cannot live up to the rulings of the church and thereby receive the wonderful rewards promised us for the future.

"We must be personal lovers of Christ. We must not be Catholics merely in name. We must bring the truth of Christ to ourselves as well as spreading to our neighbors. This is the problem of the Sodality of the Holy Name.

"How can we accomplish this? I find that there is no better way of knowing Christ than by having the gospels at one's possession and memorizing them. We should love Christ. Our [illegible] should be to develop his virtues in our souls. To know him well we should study out his life.

"What a pleasure it is, on going on a sick call, to meet with men who can quote from the scripture. When they are on their dying bed, unable to read, they have possession in their hearts, a desire to breathe out their teaching of him to one's possession and memorizing. They realize that Christ is [illegible] to their souls and they desire to be with him.

"We all have a grand mission in life. Life is sweet, life is precious to us. We grasp all of the opportunities which God offers us; and if we do and live according to God's teachings our reward will be the command from him 'Come ye blessed of the father and receive the rewards which were promised you at the beginning of the world.'"

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

High mass was sung at the usual hour by Rev. John P. Reynolds, O. M. I., and a forcible sermon on the significance of the feast of Holy Name was preached by Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I. At the vesper service the members of the Holy Name society who had received communion in a body at the early mass attended in a body and a reception of new members took place. An eloquent discourse on the Holy Name of Jesus and the evils of profanity was preached by Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O. M. I.

The choir, under the direction of Mrs. Hugh Walker, added to the favorable impression which it made a week previous upon its initial appearance under the new directress. The work of the singers yesterday was most pleasing and the new order of things promises to be quite successful. Mrs. Walker presided at the organ yesterday in her usual accomplished manner. A feature of the singing was the rendition of the beautiful Latin hymn "Jesu Dulcis Memoria."

ST. PATRICK'S.

The festival observance at St. Patrick's yesterday was of necessity curtailed. Rev. Fr. McHugh sang low mass at 11 o'clock, the basement being crowded to an uncomfortable degree. For the first time in many weeks there was no singing and the choir was generally missed. It was announced that a special collection will be taken up next Sunday for the new chime of bells now being cast for the belfry of St. Patrick's. The old bells were rendered useless by the fire and beyond recasting, necessitating a new set of bells. Rev. Fr. O'Brien expects that the church will be ready for dedication June 17.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

The members of the Holy Name society received holy communion in a body at St. Peter's church at 8 o'clock mass which was sung by Rev. Fr. Hefferman. High mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Mullin at 10.30 o'clock and a very eloquent and forceful sermon on "Marriages and Divorce" was preached by Rev. Fr. McDermott. In the evening the reception of members into the Holy Name society was held in connection with vesper service and the members of the Holy Name society occupied seats in the center aisle. Rev. Fr. Burns officiated and a sermon on the Holy Name was preached by Rev. Fr. Hefferman. The choir gave a special musical program.

During the week Rev. Fr. Ronan had as his guests Very Rev. Fr. McGarry of the Catholic University and Rev. James Keegan of Woburn.

TRIDUUM AT ST. JOSEPH'S.

The feast of the Holy Family which falls on next Sunday will be observed with special services in St. Joseph's church. In preparation therefor a triduum, or three days' retreat, will begin on Wednesday and close next Sunday with a reception of new members into the Holy Family sodality. Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., spiritual director of the society, will preach the sermons at the triduum.

MARIST BROTHER ILL.

Rev. Brother Joseph Raphael, an instructor at St. Joseph's college, is critically ill at the Marist residence in Merrimack street. His physicians, Drs. Roy and Lamoureux, give out no hope for his recovery and he has received the last sacraments of the church. He was a teacher of the sixth class and also had special charge of the choir boys of St. Jean Baptiste church.

By a sad coincidence his predecessor as director of the choir boys died here 14 months ago of a similar ailment, weakness of the heart complicated with nervous exhaustion brought on by overwork. Bro. Joseph Raphael is only 28 years of age.

SOUTH LOWELL CHAPEL.

The French residents of South Lowell are going to build a chapel and parochial school. Archbishop Williams has consented to the plan if the residents can show the funds with which to establish the church and schools and the people are now hustling with bright prospects. On Saturday a whist party was held in St. Joseph's hall in behalf of the building fund and it was a grand success.

RETURNED FROM MISSION.

Rev. Fr. Brullard, O. M. I., has returned from Sherbrooke, P. Q., where he had preached a two weeks' mission at the convent of the Holy Family.

AT SOMERVILLE

ST. PETER'S MANDOLIN CLUB WILL PERFORM TONIGHT.

St. Peter's Mandolin and Guitar club of this city will furnish the entertainment at the annual parish reunion of St. Joseph's parish, Somerville, Mass., this evening. They will be accompanied to Somerville by Rev. W. George Mullin, whose brother, Rev. Albert Mullin, is a curate at St. Joseph's.

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To settle the estate of the late Clarissa Howarth, I will sell the contents of six well furnished rooms, consisting in part of parlor furniture, dining-room furniture, kitchen range, gas range, crockery, tinware, odd chairs, rockers, bureaus, iron beds and couches, carpets, rugs, mirrors and pictures. There are also many antique pieces of value. This sale will take place rain or shine. Per order
CHAS. HOWARTH, Administrator.

Thursday, Jan. 18, 1906, 1.30 P.M.

At commission rooms, 32 Shattuck street, I will sell the balance of the stock of furniture of J. N. Carter, consisting of 3 Oak Chamber Suites, 6 Upholstered Couches, 100 Odd Chairs, 12 new Mattresses, 10 Iron Beds, 25 Iron Springs, 10 Oak Commodes, Morris Chairs, Parlor Suites and Divans, 15 Oak Tables, large Mirrors, Pictures, 4 good second-hand Ranges, 1 Gas Range, 2 Hall Trees, 2 China Closets, 2 Extension Tables, 6 Iron Boston Couch Beds, lot of Pillows, Comforters, Rattan and Oak Rockers, Curtains, Crockery, Tinware, etc.

This stock must be cleaned up on the above mentioned date regardless of cost.
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2 Cases yard-wide Percale, 10c grade, R. & A. Sale 5c yd
2 Cases Bates' Ginghams, 12 1-2c grade, R. & A. Sale 9 1-2c yd
1 Case Oxford Cheviots, 19c grade, R.&A. Sale 9 1-2c yd
1 Case Stripe and Check Outing Flannel, 8c grade, R. & A. Sale 4 3-4c yd
1 Case Stripe Outing Flannel, 10c grade, R.&A. Sale 6c yd

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THE WEATHER

Rain or snow late tonight and warmer; Tuesday rain and warmer; light easterly to southerly winds increasing and becoming southwest Tuesday.

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SEPARATE BOARD

To Control Liquor Business and Police Dept.

Rep. Albert F. Grant when asked by a reportor of The Sun, this forenoon, if he knew of any bills affecting Lowell that would be introduced in the legislature this week, replied: "I haven't heard of any as yet. This is the last week for filing them and of course many bills from all parts of the state will go in, probably some of local interest, though I have not heard of any as yet."

One report has it that the proposed bill will separate the license granting power and the police power. If so it must necessarily abolish the present board of police. It will establish a license board to be elected by the people and one police commissioner to be similarly elected.

The bill, it is presumed, will emanate from the republican city committee, but a prominent member of that body asserts that there is no intention to have the governor make the appointments.

WALKER AT WORK

Completing the List of Committees

Chairman James F. Walker, of the board of aldermen, who is empowered to fill the vacancies in the joint standing committees and the aldermanic committees, caused by the resignation of Aldermen Cosgrove and Daley, is busily engaged in making out his slate. He has seen both Messrs. Cosgrove and Daly to learn if they had changed their mind, but they, he claims, have refused to change their attitude, therefore it is up to him to fill the vacancies.

In conversation with a representative of The Sun today he stated that he had not yet decided whom to place on the different committees as he was unable to see the different aldermen to learn if they would serve. It is his plan however to give whatever good committees there are to some of the six aldermen who fared badly. In all probability Alderman Brown will figure in on some of the new appointments.

What seems to be worrying the pols, however is, who will be appointed to fill the missing link in the appropriations committee. Alderman Cosgrove was slated for the position. The appointee will probably be Alderman Dodge.

FOR NEW PUMP

Water Board Has Asked for $25,000

The estimates of expenditures during the ensuing year of the water board have been sent in to Mayor Casey and the board asks for an extra appropriation of $25,000 for a new engine in the lower pumping station on the Pawtucket boulevard. The old engine has been in commission since the pumping station was started and the place is in need of a new one.

EXECUTED

THREE CHINESE CONFESSED TO MURDER.

CHEFOO, Jan. 15.—Three Chinese who confessed to the murder of military attaches Von Guggnheim and De Cuverville on their return from Port Arthur prior to the capitulation of that place were executed here today.

If you want help at home, or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HEAR BOTH SIDES

Annexation Meeting for This Evening

A meeting to discuss the feasibility of annexing the town of Tewksbury will be held at Mr. Patrick Kelly's home in Andover street at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

The annexationists and the remonstrants as well are invited to attend. Large property holders and other influential citizens in Tewksbury have signified their intention to be present and it is expected that both sides of the question will be discussed.

CREW RESCUED

Twelve Men Taken Off a Bark

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 15.—The steamship Olafkyrre from Shields arrived here today with the crew of the bark Cordillera from St. John, N. B. for Buenos Ayres. The twelve men were taken off the bark on Jan. 5. The Cordillera was abandoned water-logged and dismasted in latitude 34.41, N. longitude 41.56 W.

FUNERALS

FOSTER—The remains of the late Mary A. Foster were consigned their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral which was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased took place from her late home, 142 Lakeview avenue at 8.30 o'clock and proceeded to St. Michael's church in Sixth street, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Eugene A. Carney. The choir was in attendance and sang the Gregorian mass and during the service appropriate selections were rendered by the members of the choir.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence, the following being the most prominent: Wreath of pinks and roses, Cook family; spray of pinks, P. H. Riley.

The bearers were Messrs. Arthur and Joseph Purcell, James and Charles Duffy, Thomas Golden and James Ready.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Carney. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director Thomas J. McDermott.

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FIREMAN CRUSHED

Daniel F. Conroy Struck in Head by Falling Chimney

A FALLING CHIMNEY CRUSHES THE SKULL OF A BRAVE FIREMAN.

Was Taken to St. John's Hospital—His Condition Considered Very Critical

Daniel F. Conroy, a hoseman connected with hose company 9 of Lincoln street, Ayer's City, while fighting a fire in East Chelmsford early this morning, was struck by a falling chimney and sustained a fractured skull. He was removed in the ambulance to St. John's hospital, where he now lies in a precarious condition. While strong hopes are entertained for his recovery, his condition at this writing is such that his life is hanging by a thread.

Lieutenant G. H. Chapman of hose 9 was struck by the falling bricks and had one shoulder and arm badly hurt, while his face was also bruised. Hoseman Charles J. Meehan of truck company No. 1, in Lawrence street, had one of his feet crushed. Other firemen who were fighting the flames from the end of the house had narrow escapes from being injured.

The fire occurred in the house of Silas P. Welch in Gorham street, just over the city line, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gale and family. The building was practically destroyed, the fire having been caused by an overheated chimney.

Shortly before 2 o'clock this morning Mr. Gale was awakened by a strong odor of smoke which permeated his room and upon arising from bed and investigating found a lively blaze in progress on the second floor, where a stove had become overheated and communicated with the walls close to the chimney. The house was filled with smoke and there was hardly time to attempt to extinguish the flames so Mr. Gale notified his wife and rushing into the room where his little children were sleeping carried them to the [illegible] clothes and then [illegible] escape.

Meanwhile Thomas Smith [illegible] sent a telephone [illegible] Chief Hosmer, of the [illegible] and the latter despatched [illegible] of apparatus [illegible] aroused the neighbors in the [illegible] who were soon on the scene [illegible] in saving the furniture. When the fire department arrived [illegible] the house was one mass of [illegible] and the furniture which had [illegible] from the house had been [illegible] which greatly hampered the [illegible] of the firemen. A steamer was [illegible] of the last in Lowell [illegible] owing to the distance that the water had to travel in the hose from the hydrant to the fire, the pressure was very low.

A ladder was raised at the side of the house facing the barn and a number of the firemen were ordered to mount the ladder with a line of hose. Hoseman Conroy was the first man to mount the ladder with the nozzle, and he was followed by several other men. After a few minutes on the ladder the roof fell in with a crash and as further work on the ladder was considered useless the men started to descend.

Just as the men reached the bottom of the ladder the chimney, which was left without support when the roof fell in, crashed to the ground, the bricks scattering in all directions. A piece of the chimney containing many bricks struck Hoseman Conroy on the head, felling him to the ground while Lieut. Chapman and Hoseman Meehan were also struck, but not so seriously hurt.

Despite the fact that Hoseman Conroy had his heavy helmet on the weight of the bricks crushed the helmet. He was rendered unconscious by the blow. In an instant half a dozen firemen were at work removing the debris from Conroy's body and he was removed to a place of safety. He was covered with blood and all attempts to revive him were fruitless. Conroy was then carried to a nearby house and the ambulance was summoned.

Upon the arrival of the ambulance Dr. Sullivan worked over the victim of the accident for some time and then ordered him to St. John's hospital. The trip was made in fast time. Conroy did not recover consciousness.

The loss to the building was practically complete, though the lower floor was not entirely burned out. The fire started on the upper floor and worked to all directions.

Mr. Gale was nearly overcome by the experience which he had gone through but stated to a representative that the strong odor of smoke awakened him. He said: "The blaze was too large to cope with and I had to escape with my family. Most of the furniture was saved."

The Gale children were none the worse for their experience.

Fred C. Church had the insurance on Mr. Gale's property.

RESTING COMFORTABLY.

Daniel F. Conroy, the fireman who was injured in an early morning fire in Gorham street, is resting as comfortably as can be expected. Conroy was operated upon by Dr. Meigs shortly after his arrival at St. John's hospital. At one o'clock this afternoon Dr. O'Sullivan of St. John's hospital said that Conroy was resting comfortably. He is conscious and is not suffering great pain. Doctor O'Sullivan said it was rather early to presage as to the result but he seemed rather hopeful. Conroy is a robust man and has youth on his side.

DANIEL F. CONROY,
The Injured Fireman.

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IS BADLY BURNED

Hamilton Employe Met With Accident

John Meehan, of Middlesex street, was badly burned about the face, neck, breast and arms in an alley way leading from the dye room of the Hamilton mills this forenoon. He was removed to St. John's hospital. The doctors there said that while the burns were of a very painful nature they were not serious. Meehan did not know at what number Middlesex street is his home. He said the number had slipped his memory.

But for the quick work and presence of mind of other men Meehan would have been much more seriously burned. While carrying two bundles of wool through a dark and narrow passage one of the bundles came in contact with a gas light and the flames reaching over set fire to the other bundle.

Meehan was between two fires and the men who went to his rescue grabbed the burning wool with iron hooks, pulling them away from Meehan but not until he had been painfully burned. He will be at the hospital for a week at least.

"SNOW" AUTOING

DR. PARKER GIVES AUTO OWNERS A PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATION.

Dr. Parker attracted considerable attention this morning going about town in his auto despite the fact that there was snow in the ground. The doctor who is an enthusiastic and expert autoist, had his rear tires wrapped with [illegible] and in this manner got over the [illegible] as nicely as though there were no snow. Fred Coburn was the second man to come around in an auto, appearing down town this afternoon. From present signs all autoists will be out tomorrow for the snow is fast disappearing.

MEMORIAL MASS

FOR THE LATE SUPT. GEORGE H. CONLEY.

A month's mind requiem mass for the late George H. Conley, who died recently in [illegible] will be sung at St. Patrick's church this city, on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

PLACE FOR SCOTT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—James Brown Scott of California, professor of law at Columbia university, N. Y., has been appointed solicitor of the state department to succeed Judge Pennfield, resigned.

EXTRA

LOOKING FOR JOBS

Members of Charity Board are Overwhelmed

With Applications for Positions—The Candidates for Ambulance Driver Number Over 150 But Board Will Probably Reduce Number of Drivers

How would you like to be a member of the board of charities?

There are 151 applicants for positions as ambulance drivers, not including the six who are now holding down the positions, while it is the intention of the new board to cut the number of drivers down to either three or four.

But that is only one feature. All the men now holding other positions in the department, and there are dozens of them, are turning heaven and earth to keep their jobs while there are hundreds of others who want their places.

The job seekers seem to believe that the new board is going to start a complete upheaval and fire out all who are in regardless of their ability. But such happily will not be the case. Of course there will be some changes for the good of the department necessitated them but there is not going to be any wholesale change made.

There have been such demands upon the members of the commission night and day that the members are having a strenuous few days dodging those whom they can and hearing the tales of those whom they can't dodge.

Perhaps the member who is having the worst time of it is the chairman, Lawrence Cummings, who is the best known of the members and whose business takes him among the frequented places of the city. Mr. Cummings has been having a glorious time listening to candidates for office but he is now getting used to it and doesn't mind it as much as he did at first.

Report has it that the board will create the position of inspector whose duties shall be to personally visit all persons asking aid and learn their exact circumstances. While there is no official announcement that such a position will be created, nevertheless Constable McManus has announced himself a candidate for the place.

FR. PHELAN DEAD

Passed Away in Carney Hospital

Rev. Michael Phelan, who has been at St. John's hospital for several years past and acted as chaplain at that institution, died this morning at the Carney hospital in Boston. Fr. Phelan was about 56 years of age and was a native of Lawrence. He was in ill health for quite a few years and received treatment at St. John's hospital. Recently his condition grew worse and he went to the Carney hospital in Boston, where it was decided to perform an operation in the hope that it would afford relief. He failed to rally, however, and passed away this morning.

His body will be brought to this city this evening and will be taken to the chapel at St. John's hospital. On Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church and relatives and friends are invited to attend. It is expected that a large number of clergymen will be present at the service.

Though Fr. Phelan was of a retiring disposition yet during his stay in Lowell he made a number of friends.

GAYNOR—GREENE

Demurrers to the Indictments Heard

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 15.—Demurrers to the two indictments returned against Greene and Gaynor last November were argued upon the opening of the federal court today, Col. P. W. Meldrim making the argument for the defendants. These indictments are numbers 476 and 477 on the docket. The counts of No. 476 allege embezzlement in collusion with former Captain Oberlin M. Carter and others on July 6, 1897, of the sums of $35,000 and $230,740. No. 477 charges the receiving of money the defendants knew Carter to have embezzled. Col. Meldrim demurred on many grounds. He declared that the checks for the two amounts alleged did not show any connection between Greene and Gaynor. On the contrary they were drawn by Captain Carter to the order of the Atlantic Contracting company and in no way did the defendants appear as endorsers, or collectors of the money. The indictments failed to prove also, he declared, that the defendants bore any connection with the Atlantic Contracting company. Prior indictments of the defendants, he admitted, alleged their connection with the Atlantic contracting company in its stock holders, but the last two failed in this respect. Special Assistant Attorney Gen. Erwin for the government asserted that it would have been a physical impossibility to have entered into an exposition, in detail, showing wherein the work done by the defendants differed from the specifications and that the indictments as drawn were good and sufficient.

THE ESTIMATES

Will Go to Council Tomorrow Night

Tomorrow will be the last day for the receiving of department estimates, and while a majority of the estimates have been received by Mayor Casey there are some missing.

The formality of the estimates being presented before one branch of the council will be carried out tomorrow night when they will be sent to the common council, after which they will be typewritten and placed in the hands of the committee on appropriations.

It is expected that the different typewritten estimates will be ready for the committee to act upon about the 25th of the present month.

COFFIN IS OUT

Dropped From the Naval Academy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Secretary Bonaparte today approved the sentence of dismissal imposed by court-martial at Annapolis in the case of Midshipman Trenmor Coffin on conviction of hazing and ordered his dismissal from the academy.

A SUICIDE

MAN HAD SUFFERED FROM MELANCHOLY.

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Jan. 15.—After suffering from melancholy for years, brought on, it is believed, by the loss of money, George J. Busse of 156 Meadow Lane in Residence Park, a New York merchant and a prominent resident here, committed suicide Saturday night by inhaling gas through a tube in his home. On a dresser was a letter addressed to his wife, in which he said he had suffered so much from melancholy and business troubles that he could stand it no longer and begged forgiveness for ending his life.

Mr. Busse was a member of a dry goods firm of Manhattan. His wife, Mrs. Margaret Busse, told the police that her husband had been suffering from melancholia, caused by the loss of money, and that nine years ago he tried to end his life by attempting to jump through the porthole of a steamship. Mr. Busse was 40 years of age and had been married 20 years.

HANGED HERSELF

WOMAN TOOK HER LIFE IN INSANE ASYLUM.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Maria M. Poole, aged 40, of 11 East Park street, committed suicide yesterday morning in the Essex County hospital for the Insane, at Newark, by hanging herself from a window guard with the sleeves of her camisole. She had mittens on her hands and her wrists were tied together.

LATEST BABCOCK FIRM

Has Not Changed Views on Tariff

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15. When the house [illegible] took the [illegible] question of personal privilege. He based this on a statement in a local newspaper entitled "How Came Babcock to rebel," and which [illegible] for his opposition to [illegible] Arizona and New Mexico [illegible] his place at the [illegible] of the appropriations committee.

Mr. Babcock read a letter from a leader, saying that he would be defeated in his district for the chairmanship [illegible] 331 not regard the story as [illegible] question of personal privilege.

The statement, Mr. Babcock said, totally misrepresented him and he also believed the so-called "stalwarts" which he understood meant the house organization. He had, he said, never been an applicant for the chairmanship of the appropriations committee. He had not wanted that chairman [illegible] had it been tendered him he should have declined it. He did not feel that under the circumstances I could have filled it to the satisfaction of the house."

As to statehood, Mr. Babcock said he had always opposed joining Arizona and New Mexico as one state. As to tariff views Mr Babcock said they had not changed. He presented a resolution adopted by the Wisconsin delegation in congress January 11, 1905, in favor of the revision and said while bowing as a party man to the party program he still adhered to the opinion that revision should be had.

When Mr. Babcock had concluded several of his colleagues applauded.

Before proceeding with the Philippine debate, two resolutions were agreed to, calling on the secretary of the navy for information regarding the construction of the battleship Connecticut, building in the Brooklyn navy yard and the Louisiana building in a private yard. The first resolution calls if since February 1, 1905, there has been any delay to delivering material and armor to either ship and what action has been taken by the navy department to obviate the delay. The second resolution calls for a statement of any change of plans which may have been made in either ship on the cost of the same.

Mr. Parker (N. J.) gave his reasons for favoring the Philippine tariff bill. He would permit those islands to maintain a modest tariff against the United States as protection and encouragement to their own industries.

A five minute speech against the bill was made by Mr. Goebel (Ohio) on the ground that we should be just before we are generous.

A word picture of the prosperity of the south was made by Mr. Lamb (Va.) who will vote first for the minority bill and on its defeat for the majority bill. The tariff he predicts will cause the downfall of the republican party in the next presidential campaign.

TILLMAN WILL SPEAK.

In the senate today notice was given by Mr. Tillman that on Wednesday he would ask to have considered his resolution asking the president to inform the senate as to the existing status in Santo Domingo. He will speak at that time.

Mr. Bacon introduced the following resolution:

"Resolved by the senate that interference with or participation in any controversy between European governments relating to European international questions is a violation of the well settled, well defined policy of this government which has been recognized and observed for more than a century past."

PATRICK'S FIGHT

New Evidence Has Been Found

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 15.—To ascertain whether he shall give a public hearing on the petitions for executive clemency in the case of Albert T. Patrick, Governor Higgins today heard arguments from the district attorney of New York county in opposition to clemency in any form or degree, and from counsel representing the people who believe material doubts exist as to Patrick's guilt. Patrick is the New York lawyer who was convicted of the murder of Wm. M. Rice, an aged millionaire of New York city in September, 1900. He is under sentence to be executed at Sing Sing prison next week. Governor Higgins has received a number of petitions requesting him to commute Patrick's sentence, the most [illegible] of which is headed by the name of Grover Cleveland. The question of the obliteration by embalming of conclusive evidence of poisoning by chloroforming has aroused the followers of the state who have filed with Governor Higgins a petition setting forth their belief in the justice of this point in Patrick's favor.

Wm. M. K. Olcott of the firm of Black, Olcott, Butler and Bonynge of New York city who is appearing in Patrick's behalf said before the hearing which was to begin just before noon that he would submit to Governor Higgins important evidence that had only recently come to light. He added that he had affidavits of citizens of Texas quoting the valet Jones as admitting that his testimony against Patrick was perjury and that this was hardly more important than scientific evidence which he should present.

At the opening of the hearing Governor Higgins said that this was not a hearing upon the merits of the case and he requested counsel to confine their arguments to the question what course he should pursue in dealing with the applications for clemency.

District Attorney Jerome expressed surprise at the statement. He had understood today's hearing to be upon only the question whether the governor should appoint a referee. "I think I can show to your satisfaction," he said, "that this case should not go to a referee."

Governor Higgins said then that the argument should be confined to the question of a referee.

Mr. Olcott said that he appeared with a power of attorney granted him by Patrick, but with an application from Patrick for commutation of Patrick.

"He does not desire imprisonment for life," said Judge Olcott, "because Patrick knows he is innocent of the crime for which he has been sentenced to death."

Mr. Olcott said he had several affidavits bearing on the case which he would furnish to the district attorney.

Mr. Jerome objected to the introduction of affidavits and suggested that the governor grant Patrick a reprieve in order that the newly discovered evidence might receive proper consideration before the courts.

Mr. Olcott said he agreed with Jerome that the additional matter in the affidavits should have mature consideration. "We intend to produce evidence," said Mr. Olcott, "which will show from a scientific standpoint that Rice could not have come to his death from chloroform. It is an issue between exact science and perjury.

"We are not making here a last desperate effort for a condemned man," said Mr. Olcott.

"We are simply here asking an opportunity. Our firm had only just come into the case after that distinguished practitioner, ex-Senator Hill, was stricken with illness. Through his anxiety in behalf of his former client, Senator Hill has dragged himself out of a sick room today to be present at the hearing."

IN SELF DEFENSE

Denuncio Says That He Killed Bonani

STURBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 15.—A special from Chester says Paoli Denuncio, aged 22, an Italian wood-chopper, was arrested there this morning on the charge of murdering Emilio Bonani at 260 Cleveland avenue, Philadelphia, Oct. 8, last. Denuncio, it is said, admits the killing but claims he used his knife in self defense.

$25,000 SUIT

ACTION AGAINST THE BOSTON & NORTHERN ROAD.

An attachment was filed at the Lawrence registry of deeds office Saturday morning in behalf of Gertrude Weeks against the Boston & Northern street railway for $25,000. The writ is from the office of Attorney William C. Ford.

DEATHS

CUTTING.—Benton W. Cutting, a resident of this city for the last ten years, died at his home, 22 Rockdale avenue, yesterday, aged 82 years and 9 months. He leaves a brother, Erastus, of Epping, N. H.

FINN.—Mrs. Elizabeth Finn, aged 40 years, died yesterday at her home, 48 East Merrimack street. She is survived by a daughter, Miss Mary O'Brien, a brother, Patrick Sullivan, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Forham of Wolleaville, N. Y. The remains were taken to the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

McCOY.—Marie McCoy, a well known and old resident of this city, died this noon at her home, 41 Rock street. She leaves to mourn her loss three daughters, Mrs. J. B. Riley of this city, Mrs. Margaret Flanagan of Philadelphia and Mrs. Kate Pettigrew of Ireland, and two sons Edward Brady of this city and James Brady of Ireland.

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KILLED BY HORSE

Man Was Attacked by Vicious Animal

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Michael Hallan, [illegible] who was employed in the [illegible] stable of Samuel Marshall, at 250 South Eighth street, Williamsburg, and lived in the neighborhood, was kicked and bitten to death last night by a stallion. When Marshall attempted to aid him he also was attacked and badly bitten.

The stallion was brought to the stable on Friday. It did not exhibit any vicious tendencies. It is believed that Hallan, if he was grooming the stallion last night he was attacked. Marshall went into the stable at 8 o'clock and was surprised not to see Hallan. Presently he heard groans and discovered Hallan lying in the stall where the stallion was.

While Marshall was trying to rescue the stableman the stallion broke its halter and rushed at him. Marshall seized a stick, and while defending himself from the vicious onslaught was badly bitten himself. His left thumb being almost severed. His shouting brought some men, and when they entered the stable the stallion rushed at them. They defended themselves with baseball sticks and succeeded in conquering the beast. When they looked after Hallan they found him in the stall breathing his last. His head was shockingly crushed and he had been bitten and kicked all over his body. While being removed to the Williamsburg hospital he died.

Marshall was also taken to the hospital, where it was said his thumb would probably have to be amputated.

GEN'L CHAFFEE

Has Resigned as Chief of Staff

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Lieut. Gen. Chaffee today tendered his resignation as chief of staff, U. S. A., to take effect today and it was accepted by the president. General Chaffee does not go on the retired list until February 1 but he desired to relinquish the duties of chief of staff that he might have a 15 day leave of absence before retiring from active service. Gen. Bates, now assistant chief of staff, will succeed him as chief of staff.

CONDEMNED

PRACTICE OF RUNNING LOCOMOTIVE WITH TENDER AHEAD.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Jan. 15.—The practice of running a locomotive with the tender ahead is condemned and the Rutland railroad is ordered to cease such practice after Feb. 1, in a report filed today by the Vermont railroad commission on the accident at Pike's Crossing, two miles north of this village, on Aug. 14, in which Harris P. Lindsley, assistant police commissioner of New York, and Miss Evelyn P. Willing of Chicago, his fiance, were instantly killed while riding in an automobile.

BARK WAS LOST

The Captain and Crew Perished

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Jan. 15.—All hope for the safety of the British bark Edwyfed, from Trapani, Sicily, for this port, has been abandoned. One hundred and eight days have passed since the bark sailed from Trapani with a cargo of salt and nothing has been heard from her since that time. John G. Hall of Boston, the American representative of R. Thomas of Liverpool, the owner of the vessel, said today that he believed the Edwyfed had gone down.

"The Edwyfed," Mr. Hall said, "should have made the voyage in about 60 days, and it is now nearly twice that length of time since she sailed away. Captain Evans was in command of the vessel but I am unable to say how many men were on board."

MILITARY NIGHT AT THE EXPOSITION.

Tonight will be known as Military Night at the exposition, that is being held in the armory. All military organizations that attend in uniform will be admitted free. One of the pleasing features of the exposition is the large number of handsome young lady demonstrators that are employed by the different firms who are exhibiting. There are at least forty booths that employ at least two, three or four of these young lady demonstrators, some of them come from as far away as Chicago, Ill., while others come from New York, Boston, Toronto, Canada, and the surrounding cities, while several of them belong here in Lowell. A great deal of the success of this fair depends upon the demonstrators and from the way these young ladies work and get results it is a foregone conclusion that this fair will be a great success. There was an attendance Saturday afternoon and evening of over three thousand people. The special days and nights for the balance of this week will be as follows: Tuesday night, Business Men's Night; Wednesday night, Clerks' Night; Thursday night, Policemen's Night; Friday night, Demonstrators' Night; Saturday night, Exhibitors' Night.

YACHT RATING RULES.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—At a luncheon at the Carlton hotel here today, inaugurating the international conference on yacht rating rules, Vice President Morgan said that he regretted the absence of American delegates as the conference would have liked to have had an advocacy of the New York Yacht club's rating rule from those who had seen it actually working, particularly as it appeared to be in the direction of what they all were striving for. Delegates were present from all the European countries.

TEARING IT DOWN

Barrister's Hall Being Razed to Ground

The walls of old Barristers hall are being razed to the ground today and the work of tearing down the old structure attracted great attention from passers-by. The work is being done by Contractor John Simpson, who also has the disposal of the old timber.

The interior was stripped last week and only the walls now remain to come down.

Mr. Simpson is finding a ready sale for the second-hand material owing to the scarcity of new lumber at the present time.

It is amusing to stand near the fence and hear the comments of the spectators watching the work.

"They won't get that down in a year, the way they're going. Why down in Boston they'd have it down in a night."

"If I was doing that job I'd do this and so."

Another man evidently from the north country remarked "The trouble wid dat job is she's got too much boss." About everyone who went by the job while the reporter stood there had some similar comment or advice to advance though meanwhile the building was growing less like a building every minute.

LOWELL KNIGHTS

Attended Degree Work in Lawrence Yesterday

The first degree was exemplified on a class of 12 candidates by Lawrence council, 67, K. of C., at a meeting in Sager hall in the Odd Fellows block, Sunday afternoon, says the Lawrence Sun. The work was performed by the degree staff of the council. Following the working of the first degree, the second degree was worked on a class of 30 candidates, the work being performed by the degree staff of Lowell council of Lowell. After the work a banquet was served and a social hour was enjoyed. Remarks were made by many of the prominent members of both the Lawrence and Lowell councils while several pleasing selections were rendered by the choir of the Lawrence council. Harry J. Lynch of North Andover presided at the piano. The choir was under the direction of Lecturer Charles J. Riordan. During the gathering Deputy Knight Frank J. O'Connor presented the retiring grand knight, Fred J. Sullivan, with a set of books, on behalf of the members of Lawrence council. Retiring trustee John M. Lynch was also presented with a charm. Past Grand Knight, Daniel J. Murphy made the presentation speech. About 250 Lawrence members were present while fully 100 members of Lowell were in attendance. The banquet was greatly enjoyed and was capably served. The board of trustees supervised the supper. District Deputy E. L. Arundel was among those present.

The third degree will be exemplified on a class of 50 in the city hall, Wednesday evening. A banquet will follow the work.

A large number of Lowell Knights will attend the working of the third degree and a special car will be arranged.

STRONG SERMONS

On Prevalence of Crime in Chicago

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Protests, loud and insistent, came from Chicago pulpits yesterday against the lawless conditions which were held responsible for the murder of Mrs. Franklin C. Hollister. This crime, added to the killing of three other women within a few months roused the ministers and congregations to demand that better protection be given by the police to women.

Mayor Dunne who returned during the day from Denver joined in the appeal, saying that the city needed more policemen. He declared it to be the duty of the council to provide that means for putting a large enough force of policemen out to cover the city thoroughly.

This also was demanded by the First Methodist church. Plans for a mass meeting to compass this end were made by others.

Sorrow and anger mingled in the services at the Wesley Methodist church of which Mrs. Hollister was a member. Members of the choir, in which she had sung, could not sit in their seats in the congregation, but remained in the pews.

Richard Ivens, who strangled Mrs. Hollister Friday evening, told two stories of the disposal of the brown seal muff which his victim had swung in her hand when seen a few hours before she disappeared.

He said he carried it away with him under his coat and hid it. Later he said he threw it into a garbage can. The police could not find the muff. Out of this there came a stronger feeling on the part of some of the police that Ivens had accomplices.

Relatives of Mrs. Hollister were convinced that the young murderer had not worked alone. They argued that the victim must have been detained early in the day by members of the evil "gang" and perhaps was murdered before evening and her body removed to the stable where it was found.

Richard Ivens' father of the murderer, began to make up a defense for his son. His [illegible] be insanity. He said the young [illegible] had acted "queerly."

FRENCH CATHOLIC ARTISANS.

WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 15.—There were 4[illegible] delegates representing 42 cities and [illegible] Massachusetts at the first annual convention of the Massachusetts [illegible] of the French Catholic Artisans of America, which opened its [illegible] session this morning.

At the morning session the committees were appointed. They meet this afternoon and will report to the convention tonight.

MAN WAS KILLED

Because He Abolished Credit System

WASHINGTON, Pa., Jan. 15.—M. S. Carrasola, who had a chain of department stores in Washington county, was killed Saturday night at his store in Heavy, a mining town near Monongahela City.

Some months ago Carrasola sent notices to all his patrons that in future he would give credit and that all must pay cash. The miners were indignant, and especially the foreigners, who predominated among his customers. Several times Carrasola received letters warning him that if he did not reinstate the credit system among his customers he would be severely dealt with, but he paid no attention to the threats.

On Saturday his wife received another letter, telling her that if her husband did not reverse the order at once he would be killed. She begged him to recall his order and to arm himself, but he refused to do either.

Shortly after 11 o'clock Carrasola was preparing to close his store when he heard a sound at one of the front windows. He opened the door and peered out into the darkness. There was a shot and Carrasola fell dead with a bullet in his head. There is no clue to the assassin. Carrasola was 43 years old and one of the most prominent Italians in western Pennsylvania.

SAILED ON FRENCH CRUISER.

TANGIER, Morocco, Jan. 15.—The American minister, Samuel M. Gummere, the second member of the American mission to the Moroccan conference and the Austrian and Portuguese and Belgian delegates, sailed from here today for Mazagan on the French cruiser Galilee.

LONG ELECTED PRESIDENT.

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—Former Governor John D. Long was elected president today at the annual meeting of the N. E. Sabbath Protective League and Martin Kneeland was reelected general secretary. Rev. Edward D. Mallory was chosen recording secretary. The report of Secretary Kneeland showed that the gifts during the year had been larger than ever.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Am Sugar	150⅛
Am Sugar pfd	135¾
A & T	96
A & T pfd	104
B & O	115¼
B & O pfd	98⅞
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	90¼
Chi & Gt W	22
C R & Pac	21
C R & Pac pfd	62¼
C M & St P	184
Con Gas	171
Del & Hud	166
Erie R R	50½
Erie 1st	85
Erie 2d	75⅝
Gen Elec	178
Illinois	10
Met St Ry	125¼
Mo Pac	101
N Y Cen	154
Nor Pac	67¾
N Y Ont & W	38⅝
Penn	145
Mex Cen	23½
Nat Lead	87½
Nat Lead pfd	104
People's Gas	100¼
So Pac	68⅝
So Pac pfd	118
Reading	142¾
Reading pfd	91
Tex Pac	35¾
Union Pac	156½
Union Pac pfd	95¾
U S Steel	44¾
U S Steel pfd	103¾
Wabash	22⅞
Wabash pfd	43½
W U Telegraph	93¼
Central Leather	48⅛
Central Leather pfd	105¾

BOSTON STOCKS.

Amalgamated	113⅝
American Wool	46
American Wool pfd	104⅞
Am Tel & Tel	138
Arcadia	5
Atlantic	26¾
Anaconda	26 21/32
Allouez	44
American Agriculture	28¾
American Agriculture pfd	95½
Boston	81¼
Calumet	715
Centennial	30¼
Chicago Junction Com	160
Chicago Junction pfd	126
Copper Range	54⅝
Dom Steel	27¾
Dom Coal	76¾
Dom Coal pfd	117
Daly-West	16¾
Elm	2¾
Franklin	17¾
Granby	9¾
Greene	29¾
Mass	11⅞
Mass Gas	47
Mass Gas pfd	85¾
Mass Electric	19¼
Mass Electric pfd	65¼
M C & C	5½
Michigan	16¾
Mohawk	61
Mex Tel	1
N E Tel	136⅞
North Butte	90
N Y, N H & H R R	202¼
Osceola	105
Old Colony Mine	1¾
Old Colony R R	209
Old Dominion	41
Parrott	41¾
Shannon	6½
Shoe Machinery	74
Shoe Machinery pfd	30¼
Royal	26½
Rhode Island	7
Tamarack	112
Tecum	14
Trinity	10¼
Utah	67¾
United Fruit	105½
United States	49⅞
U S Oil	12
Winona	8
Wolverine	134
Victoria	7⅝
Western Tel	18
Western Tel pfd	93
United Cop	64½

*Ex-Dividend.

SIGNAL SYSTEM

For All Railroads and Some Street Railways

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—Two important recommendations were made by the railroad commission in its annual report which was submitted to the legislature today. The suggestions being based mainly upon disclosures in connection with a remarkable series of railroad and street railway accidents within the last two months of 1905. The first recommendation is for the introduction of block signal systems on all railroads and on such street railways as operate high speed cars. The second recommendation is for a general revision by both railroad and street railway companies of the rules under which their systems are operated.

The recommendations of the board are based mainly on the result of its investigations into the rear end collision at the Baker Bridge station in Lincoln on the 24th of last Nov. in which a Montreal express crashed into a delayed local train with the result that 17 were killed and many injured. The report after referring signals found to have been displayed by the local train which was running ahead of the express said:

"The engineer of the pilot engine of the express saw the green lights at Lincoln great road and at Lincoln station and at least one red fuse near Lincoln station, but disregarded the rule that required him to reduce speed so as to proceed cautiously and so that he could stop within reeling distance, rules with which he was familiar, he proceeded on his way at high speed until collision was unavoidable. However ill posed one may be to treat generously a man of previous good record and one of a body of men to whose splendid fidelity and courage the public owe so much, it would be unjust to those whose lives were in the care of this engineer to overlook his failure in the performance of duty."

The report then deals with the question of "spare" men, saying:

"Every spare engineer has served his term as fireman and has passed written and oral examinations and ought to be equipped with all knowledge which can be acquired previous to actual practice. The mere fact that the engineer assigned to the Montreal express was a spare man in no way prejudices him or the company."

The question of hours and labor also is referred to in the recommendation, the report saying, "Hours of labor on railroads ought to be regulated, but in our opinion this should be done through agreement between employer and employes and not by statute. There was an agreement of this kind between the Boston & Maine railroad and its employes, but the record shows that the agreement was not always enforced, apparently through a mutual understanding that it might at times be disregarded. In this case the engineer assigned to the express had worked beyond the ordinary limits during the week, but a night of sleep and a day of rest had intervened between his employment of Saturday and that of Sunday night and nothing that he said and nothing that he did gave intimation that his condition was physically or mentally in any degree impaired.

"Whether or not the work of the preceding week had any remote connection with what happened on this Sunday night, such instances as these show the advantage of a rigid enforcement of some general rule limiting hours of labor permitting exceptions only in such cases as are named in the rule and involve no risk of life. The human factor plays so large a part in all questions of safety in travel, even upon railroads equipped with the most modern automatic devices, that it is of great importance that the assignment of men should be carefully safeguarded.

"We are convinced that railroad employes do not desire legislation to fix hours of labor upon railroads and we believe that such legislation under present conditions would be unwise. To our minds, legislation will be warranted only when the desire of employes to work over-time and the inclination of employers to profit by such work practically destroys any limitation upon the hours of labor under an agreement of parties."

The report continues:

"Railroad rules are too often uncertain and inconsistent. Changes are needed to make them more effective and to bring about harmony in understanding and practice. Colors should uniformly mean the same thing. Rules should be few as possible, clear, consistent, expressed in simple language, capable of and intended for literal enforcement. In this way familiarity is made easy, misunderstanding, doubt and confusion prevented, the uncertainties of unwritten customs done away with and both employer and employe equally protected. We recommend a re-examination of existing rules upon all our railroads and street railways. "Recent incidents with and without the state emphasize the paramount importance of the enforcement of discipline. Everything depends upon discipline in military establishments. It is yet more essential upon railroads and railways. One undivided authority to be obeyed without a questioning is indispensable to safety and any agreement or understanding which transfers this authority from employer to employe in matters affecting the safe operation of a railroad is vicious.

"The experience of many years in running trains upon the Boston & Maine railroad undoubtedly led the management to believe that the rules governing fusees and green signals, furnished adequate protection against such collisions as that at Baker Bridge.

"In defence of that belief it must be admitted that if these rules had been followed there would have been no accident at that place. In our opinion, however, the rules left too much discretion and responsibility with the train hands.

"Obviously no arrangement of mechanical devices yet invented can insure against accident. And yet beyond question companies ought to have their important lines equipped with them. Block signals give an engineer more definite knowledge of conditions immediately ahead of him and in limiting the field of his responsibility, decrease the chances of accident. While failure to observe these signals is always possible, the likelihood of collisions is undoubtedly lessened by their use.

"We recommend legislation requiring railroad companies and such railway companies as run cars under similar conditions to equip within a reasonable time, lines of the character above named with a block signal of such type and installed in such manner as the board may approve."

During the year the steam roads carried 327,439,566 passengers, an average of about 3,000,000 over the previous year. The gross earnings of the railroads were $93,859,225, an increase of over $7,000,000. The street railways carried 572,737,017 passengers, an increase of over 12,000,000 for 1904. The gross earnings were $28,628,452 or about $1,000,000 increase.

SHOT IN STOMACH

Woman is in a Critical Condition

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Peckla Madeynska, 38 years of age, was shot in the stomach at 337 Peckham street today. George Judlewski, a boarder in the same house, was wounded in the arm. Soon after her removal to the hospital the woman gave birth to a child. The baby and mother are in a critical condition. The police are looking for Mike Tomacewski, 21 years old. It is alleged that he and a friend demanded entrance to the Peckham street house and upon being refused opened fire with a revolver, wounding the woman and Judlewski, who was standing near the door.

THE "OPEN DOOR"

U.S. Ambassador White Favors German Policy

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The Associated Press is advised that Ambassador White, representing the United States at the Moroccan conference at Algeriras will support the German contention both as to the "open door" in Morocco and as to an international commission to control the policing of the country. It is suggested that this may make the adoption of the German view probable, particularly in the light of the fact that Russia has shown marked indifference to the appeal of her ally for support. The influence of the vatican is also understood to be hostile to France.

Miss May F. Boyers of Centralville has returned home after a very pleasant visit, spent at South Berwick, Me.

Mr. Charles J. Glidden has been elected a life member of the Royal Geographical society of London.

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Boston & Northern St. Railway Co.

IMPORTANT CHANGE OF SCHEDULE AND RUNNING TIME ON THE LOWELL, LAWRENCE & HAVERHILL MAIN LINE

Beginning Tuesday, January 16, 1906, cars will run as follows:

Leave Lowell for Lawrence 5.15, 6.10, 7.10 a.m. and every thirty minutes until 10.40 p.m. Returning leave Lawrence 5.50, 6.10, 7.20 a.m. and every thirty minutes until 10.50 p.m.

SUNDAYS: Leave Lowell 7.10 a.m. and every thirty minutes until 10.40 p.m. Returning leave Lawrence 7.20 a.m. and every thirty minutes until 10.50 p.m.

Leave Lowell for Haverhill *5.15, 6.10, 7.10 a.m., and every thirty minutes until 9.40 p.m. Returning leave Haverhill *5.55, 6.55 a.m. and every thirty minutes until 9.55 p.m.

SUNDAYS: Leave Lowell 7.10 a.m., and every thirty minutes until 9.40 p.m. Returning leave Haverhill 6.55 a.m., and every thirty minutes until 9.55 p.m.

*Change cars at Lawrence.

THOMAS J. SAYERS, Division Superintendent.

Lowell, January 13, 1906.

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THAT CREMATOR

May be Paid for This Week

M. J. COURTNEY MAY BE CHOSEN

Supt. of Charities at Tonight's Meeting

The fight over the Decarie cremator which has been waged for the past several weeks will undoubtedly come to a head this week when the whole business will be settled and the Decarie Co. will receive a check for $10,000.

The trouble over the cremator has been rehearsed through the newspaper columns several times, so it is unnecessary to go into detail. The lease of the land owned by Mr. Connors has been made out in a satisfactory manner and as soon as the formalities have been gone through with City Solicitor Hill will notify City Treasurer Stiles to pay the bill.

City Treasurer Stiles was in conference with City Solicitor Hill last week and the latter notified the former not to pay the bill until he gave his sanction, though the formalities are now nearly completed and it is expected that bill will be settled this week.

REQUISITION FOR PLANTS.

A communication calling for bids on 3008 potted plants for the park commission has been posted in the office of the purchasing agent. The plants are to be delivered when wanted and where wanted. All plants must be A No. 1 in every respect. Proposals will be received until Thursday.

The reason for posting the bids so early this year is owing to the fact that the plants are being slipped at this time of the year. The plants, however, will not be delivered until about the first of June and will be immediately transferred from the pots to beds. They will be distributed to the different parks in the city with the exception of the north and south commons and squares.

BOARD OF CHARITIES.

Despite the fact that it has been stated that the new superintendent of charities will not be elected tonight, it is the intention of the board to transact as much busines as possible tonight, and it is said that Martin J. Courtney will be elected superintendent.

TAX DEMANDS ISSUED.

The demands sent out from the city treasurer's office last week to the delinquents in ward one had the effect of sending in about 200 taxpayers. The demands for the different wards are being sent out as soon as completed.

OAKLAND SEWER.

It is expected that work on the Oakland sewer will be completed Saturday night. While the entire system will not be completed by that time, it is deemed advisable to stop the work this week.

GYPSY MOTH NESTS.

The employes of the street department destroyed 100 gypsy moth nests on the Pawtucket boulevard during the past week.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Th regular meeting of the common council will be held tomorrow night.

MILLER TRIAL

FRIENDS SAY HE WAS NOT AN HABITUAL HAZER.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 15.—The trial of the case of Midshipman John P. Miller, first class, on the charge of hazing four fourth class men was resumed today. Great interest is being taken in his case as Miller is a leading student in the class which he will graduate on February 12 next.

Miller's friends say that he was never an habitual hazer but that in the instances alleged he ordered certain fourth class men to do some exercises because they had come to his room baiting an automobile. They had been sent to do this by an upper classman. It has appeared in the evidence that Miller reprimanded the upper classmen also for doing this.

The next case to be tried is that of Minor Meriweather, Jr., charged with hazing in six instances. His case will probably be reached this afternoon. He has retained James M. Vanere of Annapolis and George H. Mann of New York as counsel. Meriweather is now serving a sentence of one year's confinement to the academy grounds for offenses connected with a fight with Midshipman James R. Branch who died two days after the fight.

CIVIL SERVICE

EMPLOYES OF GOV. PRINTING OFFICE MUST BE CERTIFIED TO.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—"My object is to place all the employes of the printing office on the same basis of appointment, tenure and discipline."

This was the reason given by public printer Stillings yesterday for requesting the civil service commission to verify the list of employes of offices to find out whether they had been appointed without proper qualifications under the law.

If after the lists of all the employes have been certified by the civil service commission it is found that any have been appointed without the necessary qualifications they will be given an opportunity to pass the examinations and establish the right to hold their positions. If they cannot do so they will be dropped from the service.

PORTUGUESE FRATERNITY.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Jan. 15.—The eighth annual convention of the Massachusetts branch of the Portuguese fraternity of America was held in this city. Sixty delegates were in attendance and the greater portion of their time was devoted to routine business and the election of officers.

NARROW ESCAPE

Chimney Fell Through Roof of House

LINOTYPE MACHINES WERE WRECKED

Families Lost Their Sunday Dinners

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—A tangle of telephone wires ice laden and strung to a thirty foot chimney on top of a six story factory building at 5-7-9 East Forty-third street swayed so heavily in the gale that raged over the city at 3.30 o'clock yesterday morning that the chimney gave way and tottered over. Several tons of bricks and a cast iron cap broke through the roof of a four story rear tenement at 211.

The cap fell into the apartments of Mrs Mary Walsh, who lives with her nineteen-year-old daughter, Margaret, on the top floor east. It didn't stop there, but went on down into the home of James Quinn, who with his wife and six children was asleep on the floor below. The kitchen stove in the Walsh household was carried along with the chimney cap and jammed into the floor of the Quinn kitchen.

Although the floor was broken the stove and cap didn't get into the rooms occupied by John Prendergast, who with his family of four was in bed on the second floor. A quantity of flooring and plastering landed on their kitchen floor, but no other damage was done.

By means of the chimney cap and the accompanying bricks, a hole about ten feet wide was smashed through the roof of the tenement. Most of the bricks were dumped into the kitchen of Frank Hahr, who occupied the rooms on the top floor west of the tenement. Hahr and his wife were asleep in the adjoining room. Enough bricks fell into the room to fill it.

Hahr bundled up his wife, his daughters, Nellie and Lillian, his sons, Joseph and Walter, and his father-in-law, Joseph Peaders, and made for the street.

Margaret Walsh was asleep in the very next room to the kitchen when the huge iron cap tore through the roof. She was up in an instant. As she opened the door a cloud of dust almost choked her and she ran into her mother's room. Then the two smelled smoke and Margaret again made for the kitchen. She discovered a gas jet that had been left lit had set fire to the torn wall paper, and she smothered the blaze with a shawl.

The crash had been heard by Policemen Solomon and McGuire of the East Fifty-first street station. They ran into the house and assisted the tenants to the lower floors.

The damage to the factory building was even greater than to the tenement. The chimney, which was about seven feet square, tore a hole through the roof over four feet wide and bricks fell through this aperture for three floors. The Color Plate Engraving company, on the top floor, and Neuman & Co., printers, on the fifth, suffered slight losses. The Cameron Press, on the fourth floor, where the bricks stopped, got the worst of it. Linotype machines were wrecked and considerable stock was ruined. The loss on this floor is estimated at about $500. The entire damage to both factory and tenement is put down at $800.

The Building department got things fairly well straightened out during the day. The unwelcome iron cap remains in the kitchen of the Quinn apartments and Sunday dinner there and in both the Walsh and Hahr households was omitted. The cap will be yanked out of the tenement with a derrick today.

SHAW DEAD

HE WAS TAKEN FOR A BURGLAR AND SHOT.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 15.—Stephen Shaw, aged 19 years, who was shot in the back last Tuesday night by Edward Mills, one of the number of men who chased him out of a vacant house in the town of Warwick, believing him to be one of a gang of burglars which had been operating in that section recently, died at the Rhode Island hospital here today. Shaw was taken to the hospital last Wednesday night having lost control of his lower limbs, the revolver bullet having it is believed, lodged in his spinal column, inducing paralysis. His case became very much worse during last night, death ensuing today.

The medical examiner will view the body later in the day when it is believed the cause of death will be determined.

BIG PROFIT

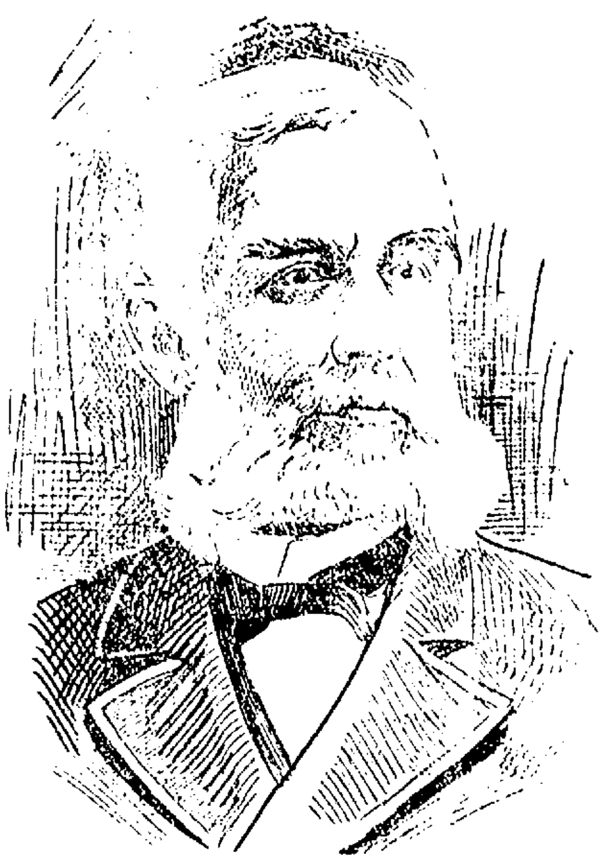
THE DAIRY FARMER MAKES GOOD MONEY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—A report on records of dairy cows in the United States issued by the department of agriculture, says that the records of progressive and unprogressive dairymen and farmers show that there is no business which has a greater range of profit than that of the dairy farmer. The records of 100 creameries is cited. It was shown that one of them made $2.50 for every dollar invested in feed for his cows while a neighbor made $1 and another lost 50 cents. All had the same soil and same market. The difference in their profits, he concludes, must be accounted for largely by the difference in the intelligence put in the business.

BOSTON MARKET.

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—There was an uncertain tone to local copper shares at the opening of the market though trading was fairly active. The break in Utah was an unsettling influence. This specialty sold at 66½ off 1⅝. United States Mining continued in good request again selling at 50 cents record price, with the rights quoted at 15-1/2. The new United States Smelting pfd. stock sold at 45, while the common was 6 1-4. In the general list the advance in American Pneumatic shares was the feature, the common sold at 16½ up 2, the preferred at 26 up 1½. The buying was scattered. Loaning rates reflected a market rather full of stocks.

J.W.B. SHAW DEAD



THE LATE J. W. B. SHAW.

Was Prominent Old Resident and Business Man

James W. B. Shaw, one of Lowell's most prominent residents, died yesterday morning at his home, 47 Belmont avenue, at the age of 83 years, two months and 23 days. He had been ill for several weeks.

Mr. Shaw was born in Pittsfield, N. H., Oct. 22, 1822, and came to Lowell between 1845 and 1850 and resided here ever since. For sixty years he has been one of Lowell's most respected and influential citizens, connected with the principal branches of the city's activity, and has made for himself a reputation second to none in the city.

He is survived by a widow and two sons, Edwin T. Shaw, treasurer and manager of the H. R. Barker Co., of this city, and William N. Shaw, treasurer of the J. B. & J. M. Cornell Co., in New York city, also a sister, Miss Mary B. Shaw of Pittsfield, N. H.

Few men in this city have been identified with more numerous or varied duties than has Mr. Shaw. Soon after he came to Lowell he entered the dry goods business with a store in Merrimack street opposite John street, under the Unitarian church. He remained there until 1878, when he retired.

When the board of health was first organized he became its chairman and held that position for eight years. He was a member of the school committee from 1865 to 1876, and was a director of the Lowell dispensary.

He was a trustee of the Middlesex North Agricultural society for many years and was active in the Middlesex Mechanics association as secretary and treasurer. He was vice-president of the Lowell Institution for Savings and was a member of its board of investment. He was one of the oldest members of the First Congregational church and for many years was chairman of its prudential committee.

For the past twenty years he has had charge of the real estate of the Wyman heirs and has had his office in Wyman's Exchange. He kept up his activity in this line until very recently.

He was one of the oldest masons here and was a charter member of Kilwinning lodge. He was a member of Mount Horeb Royal Arch chapter, Ahasuerus council, Pilgrim Commandery Knights Templar, Lowell lodge of Perfection, Lowell Council Princes of Jerusalem, Mt. Calvary of Rose Croix, Massachusetts Consistory thirty-second degree. For 32 years he was recorder of Pilgrim Commandery, Knights Templar and resigned at the last annual meeting. For 20 years he has been superintendent of the masonic apartments of this city. As tyler of the several masonic bodies he was well known to every mason in the city. He was also trustee of the Lowell Masonic association. Deceased was a member of the Mechanics lodge, I. O. O. F.

In all his various interests Mr. Shaw won for himself the respect and esteem of his friends and acquaintances. He was faithful to every trust reposed in him and was active in all that he was connected with.

For 60 years Mr. Shaw has been one of the leading citizens of the city and his loss will be keenly felt. The masonic bodies will note his loss particularly, owing to his years of activity and responsibility in their ranks but his death will be felt in almost every walk of life in this city.

ALL INDICTED

Lawrence Men Charged With Blackmail

SALEM, Jan. 15.—The grand jury reported indictments for conspiracy Saturday before Judge Schofield in superior court against Matthew DeGay Ripon, William H. McMullen, Patrick J. Casey and William P. White, all of Lawrence.

These are the alleged blackmail cases in which the defendants are charged with conspiring to extort money from Lawrence hotel proprietors for suppression of evidence of illegal liquor selling.

Frank O. Libbey, proprietor of the Park hotel in Lawrence, was indicted for maintaining a liquor nuisance.

The jury reported "no bills" against the four other Lawrence hotel proprietors, Charles M. Dickie, William J. Hanrahan, Richard A. Carter and Thomas F. Kernon.

The evidence against Libbey was furnished by Inspector Michael J. Murphy of the Lawrence police department and is said to have been substantially that submitted to the Lawrence license commissioners when application was made for the revocation of Libbey's license.

The evidence offered against the other hotel men was that of Casey, Ripon and Thomas Powers. It is said that a vote to indict all the hotel men was taken and then reconsidered, the final decision being to return no bill against Dickie, Kernon, Hanrahan and Carter.

GAINING GROUND

Statehood Bill May be Defeated

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Opposition in the house to joint statehood seems to be gaining ground and insurgents are growing bolder in their denunciation of the proposed administration measure. Representative Babcock (Wis.), the leader of the insurrection, and his lieutenants say their movement had gained strength since Saturday.

Representative Hamilton, chairman of the house committee on territories, held a long conference with Mr. Babcock today and several other members of the opposing forces conferred but without results. Compromises have failed up to this time and the republican insurgents on both the Philippine tariff and on the joint statehood measures are firmly lined up against the administration policy and insist that they will not weaken under fire.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC
Week of Monday, January 15, 1906
The Academy of Music Stock Company
WILL PRESENT THAT ROARING COMEDY,
"THE MAN FROM MEXICO"
WITH WILLIAM R. RANDALL IN THE LEADING ROLE
MATINEES—Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday
POPULAR PRICES
Pianos from Grunewald's, 50 Central st., Lowell.

BOY LEFT HOME

Said He Wanted to Help His Mother

... wanted to relieve his ... of a portion of her re... ...teen year old ... left his home in West Kenwood ... and he is still absent ... home. His mother called at ... station yesterday and re... ...'s disappearance and she ... a copy of a letter that ... to her the day before he ... letter to his ...

"... for ... to some ... show you that I am one ... my mother. You know that ... working very hard in the Mer... ...d that you get but $6 a ... You pay $3 for your own board ... to ... and besides that you ... pay carfare. All this is very ... for you and I guess that if I get ... to work somewhere it will ... a great blessing to all of us."

"... boy will probably 'make good' ... he goes. ... all right, so his mother ...

ROUGH NIGHT

CREW OF LIGHT-SHIP GIVEN A SCARE

NEWPORT, R. I., Jan. 15.—A wireless message received from the Nantucket South Shoals light-ship at the torpedo station here this forenoon reported a rough experience in Saturday night's storm on Nantucket Shoals. At 6 p. m. Saturday the aerial of the wireless apparatus was blown down and from that time until last night it was too rough for the crew of the light-ship to go aloft to repair the damage. They succeeded early today, however, in putting the apparatus in order and communication was resumed after an interruption of about 36 hours.

KING OSCAR

OPENED SESSION OF THE NEW RIKSTDAG.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Jan. 15.—King Oscar opened the session of the new Rikstdag today. The speech from the throne was almost entirely concerned with internal matters.

The budget was subsequently introduced, being the first under the new conditions. It shows a deficit of nearly $3,750,000, which will be met by an income tax and new stamp duties. About $13,652,000 is demanded for the national defense. The expenditure includes $250,000 for expenses connected with the dissolution of the union.

AN AUTOPSY

SHOWED GUYOTT WAS SUFFERING FROM STARVATION.

HOLYOKE, Mass., Jan. 15.—An autopsy was held today on the body of Frank Guyott, who with his wife, was found unconscious at his home at Fairview last Thursday. The illness of the couple and the death of Guyott last night was wrapped in mystery and the physicians at the house of Providence hospital in this city, where Mr. and Mrs. Guyott were taken for treatment, were unable to decide whether death was caused by poison or starvation.

The autopsy today disclosed the fact that Guyott was suffering not only from starvation but was also ill with pneumonia, each of which contributed to his death. Mrs. Guyott although seriously ill will probably recover.

GIVE UP TRIP

RATES TOO HIGH FOR DALLAS COMMERCIAL CLUB

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—A dispatch from Dallas, Texas, says:

John Hunter, secretary of the Dallas Commercial club announced yesterday that the proposed visit of Texas commercial clubs to northern and eastern cities had been abandoned because of the high rates demanded by the eastern railroads to carry the party and he declared the railroads had adopted this means as a club against advocates of railway rate legislation. He asserted that roads did not wish to have the Texas men visit Washington at this time as was proposed, because many of them were prominent advocates of rate legislation. Commercial bodies of several Texas cities were to have taken the trip, all plans for which had been made in the belief that the roads would grant satisfactory rates.

39 DAYS FAST

PITTSBURG DOCTOR SAYS HE IS NOT HUNGRY.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 15.—Dr. S. M. Stouffer completed the 39th day of his fast yesterday afternoon. At his home he said he felt well and did not know when he would begin eating.

In spite of his statements, however, there is a wild look in his eyes and a pained expression on his face.

When he started his fast he weighed 132 pounds. Now his weight is 96. He declares that he is not suffering from hunger and that he has no desire to eat.

"As soon as my tongue cleans off," he said, "I will begin eating again, but not before that time. I believe that my system needs to be thoroughly cleaned out. I expect that it will take at least ... days' fast to accomplish this."

LOWELL SPEAKERS

WILL ASSIST AT INSTALLATION AT CHELMSFORD.

The installation of the newly elected officers of ... T. A. society of North Chelmsford will take place in the rooms of the society in Branch street, North ... next Thursday evening. ... will be conducted by ... John E. Harrington, assisted by ... Deputy John V. Donoghue. There will also be an ... and remarks will be made by ... F. Slattery and John A. ... of Lowell and Rev. Fr. Schol... Fr. McNamara and Stephen T. Ward of North Chelmsford.

If you want help at home, or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE WORKHOUSE

Woman Wanted to Go There

BUT WENT TO JAIL INSTEAD

Light Docket for a Monday Morning

"Please send me to the workhouse, please do your honor. I will receive better treatment there than at the jail."

It was ... who spoke and she was addressing Judge Hadley.

"I would be pleased to send you to the workhouse, madam," said the court, "but unfortunately we have no workhouse." The woman was sentenced to four months in the common jail.

The docket this morning was an exceptionally light one. Thirteen drunken offenders having been released yesterday and today.

Miles Haggett, a Maynard man, was released yesterday morning and he said he would make tracks for Maynard as fast as his feet would carry him. Last night he was taken to the police station in an advanced stage of intoxication. Today he was sentenced to ten days in jail.

Thomas F. Brady and Joseph Dussault, two old offenders, were sentenced to three months each in the common jail. Patrick Fitzgerald and Mary Maloney were fined $6 each. Three Sunday drunks were taxed the usual fine and four first offenders were fined $2 each.

William Quigley, a boy, was charged with the larceny of newspapers from Buckley Bros.' store in Central street and he was ordered to ... until Friday morning.

HOSPITAL INMATE STRAYED AWAY.

Mary Reynolds, 23, an inmate of the hospital for the insane at Tewksbury strayed away from that institution Saturday afternoon and about 1 o'clock Sunday morning, Officer Lindsay found her wandering aimlessly about in the Oaklands. She was taken to the police station and yesterday afternoon she was returned to Tewksbury.

BROKERS FAILED

Owing to Speculation of An Employe

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 15.—P. H. Fahey & company, stock and grain brokers announced today that the firm will go into liquidation and retire from business owing to the peculation of a trusted employe and the continued ill health of the senior member, P. H. Fahey.

In a statement issued today by the firm, customers are requested to order all open transactions closed at once. In carrying out his peculations the employe, it is added, an falsified individual accounts that it will prove a complicated matter to straighten them out. A member of the firm said today: "We are simply going into liquidation and no one will lose a cent as a result of our retiring from business."

BARGES LOST

FATE OF THE CREWS NOT KNOWN.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 15.—The tug Cuba, towing the barge Dunlo from Portsmouth, which passed in the Delaware Breakwater today, reports that she lost the barges Renova and Braddock at sea on Saturday night during a severe storm. The barges were bound from Eastern ports for Philadelphia. The hawser parted and the Cuba was unable to pick up the barges. Until the tug arrives at Philadelphia nothing can be learned as to the safety of the crews of the barges.

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Beats the Music Cure.
"To keep the body in tune," writes Mrs. Mary Brown, 23 Lafayette Place, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. "I take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are the most reliable and pleasant laxative I have found." Best for the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Guaranteed at Goodale's drug store, 217 Central st. 25c.

BOSTON THEATRE
J. H. Tebbetts, Prop and Mgr.
MERRIMACK STREET, LOWELL.
POPULAR VAUDEVILLE.
All This Week Commencing Monday Matinee.
BENNETT BROS.,
Two Clever Acrobats and Hand to Hand Balancers.
O'HARE AND ROURK,
The Two Jacks, with original ideas in Novelty Bag Punching.
JENNINGS AND RENFREW,
Right up with the Leaders of Black Face Song and Dance.
CARTIER AND GUILLEMETTE,
The Musical Professor and His French Pupil.
BIOSCOPE.
Showing the "Green Goods Man."
BURKHART AND BERRY,
The Merry Makers, in an amusing Comedy Act.
Wednesday Night—Bargain Night, a barrel of apples and a 5 lb. roast of beef for some one.
Thursday Evening—Amateurs, and the Country Store with more shoes for those who need them.
FOUR SHOWS DAILY
Prices 5c, 10c, 15c

READY TO START

Fitchburg Line Needs Only Permission

The new Fitchburg and Lowell street railroad is now ready to operate its cars and awaits only the permission of the railroad commissioners to start. The new road receives its power from the local power house of the Boston & Northern big feed wires having been strung by Contractor P. Coggor from the power house to Forge Village where there is a transmitting station. The company has a car barn at Ayer Junction.

PASTOR TAKES CHARGE.

SANDWICH, Mass., Jan. 15.—Rev. Patrick F. McKenna today left this town to assume the pastorate of the Catholic church at Whitenton, made vacant by the death of Rev. James F. Roach. Father McKenna has been pastor of the Corpus Christi church in Sandwich and St. Patrick's church in Wareham for seven years, having come here from Pawtucket, R. I. Rev. Wm. Sullivan of St. Peter's church in Fall River will take Father McKenna's place here.

RHEUMATISM
MUNYON'S

Rheumatism Cure relieves pains in legs, arms, back, stiff or swollen joints in a few hours. Positively cures in a few days. Contains no morphine or drug to deaden the pain, but neutralizes the acid and drives out all rheumatic poison from the system.
MUNYON.

Hathaway's
Matinee Daily
Week of January 15th
Edwin Keough
AND COMPANY, in a Production, "A BIT OF BLARNEY."
Walter C. Kelley
The Italian Trio
Wills and Hassan
Omar Singh
Carter and Bluford
The Vitagraph
SPECIAL FEATURE
CARLISLE'S
Dog & Pony Show
POPULAR PRICES
MATINEE, 10c and 20c.
EVENING, 10c, 20c, 30c and 50c.
300 seats at 10c each for Ladies at Matinees. A few reserved at matinees 20c.
Stieff Pianos used—207 Tremont St., Boston.

Lowell Merchants' and Manufacturers' EXPOSITION AND UNITED MILITARY CARNIVAL
At Armory, Jan. 11 to 21, 1906.
ADMISSION, 25c. With Rebate Ticket, 15 Cents.
Doors open at 1.30 p.m. to 11 p.m.

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BOX BOWLING
and all kinds of sports can be enjoyed at the
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Private lessons to beginners and advanced pupils by Miss Jessie Darling of Providence, Tuesday and Friday mornings. Tel. 1069.

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Wall Paper
—AT—
97 Appleton St.

VOTED TO PARADE

St. Patrick's Day Convention So Decide

THERE WERE SOME DISSENTING VOTES

Twelve Societies Represented at Meeting

The annual St. Patrick's Day convention was held in Hibernian hall, yesterday, and it was voted to observe the day with a street parade. There were 79 delegates present and 29 of them were opposed to the parade. The vote was taken after an animated discussion, but it was the sense of the meeting that all would abide by the will of the majority and help make the parade a big success.

The convention was called to order at 3 o'clock by Michael J. Markham with John P. Sheehan, secretary. Of the 17 societies notified of the convention 12 sent delegations, and each was allowed seven delegates. The Mathews and Y. M. C. I. were conspicuous by their absence. Both sent communications stating that their societies had deemed it inexpedient to send delegates.

The question of parading was taken up first and after a discussion of the project, in which the chief opposition was the uncertainty of the weather, a vote was taken with 48 in favor and 29 against the proposition to parade.

The vote by delegations was: Div. 1, A. O. H., two for, four against; division 2, A. O. H., two for and five against; division 8, A. O. H., seven for, division 11, A. O. H., six for and one against; division 28, A. O. H., seven for; Wolfe Tone Guards, seven for, Company E, seven for, Burke Temperance Institute, seven against, Holy Name Society, of St Patrick's church, three for and three against, Sacred Heart church, seven for, Catholic Young Men's Lyceum of St Patrick's church, six against; C. M. I. Cadets, three against. The total vote was 48 favoring a parade and 29 against.

It was voted to hold the election of a chief marshal at a meeting to be held two weeks hence.

The secretary will notify societies not represented yesterday to send delegates to the next meeting. Communications will also be sent to the Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Order of Foresters of the city to attend the next meeting.

The secretary was instructed to send invitations to the Catholic societies of Nashua, N. H., Manchester, N. H., Lawrence, Haverhill, Pepperell, Ayer Junction and North Chelmsford.

A committee of three consisting of Messrs James O'Sullivan of the Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's church, Thomas Keegan of the Burke Temperance Institute and Frank Pierce of the Wolf Tone Guards was appointed to make arrangements for a program for the day. The proceeds of the program will be turned over the convention.

FIELD IS WEAKER

No Hope for His Ultimate Recovery

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—It was admitted this morning at the Holland House where he is ill with pneumonia that hope for the ultimate recovery of Marshall Field, the Chicago merchant, had been generally abandoned. The physicians in attendance, however, refused to commit themselves beyond the statement that Mr. Field's condition was less favorable than yesterday.

At four o'clock this morning one of the physicians was told the patient long enough to have his breakfast served in a room adjoining the sick chamber said:

"Mr. Field is no better and no worse than when our last bulletin was issued last night. So far as I can see his condition has not changed since midnight. A bulletin will be issued early this forenoon."

Doctors Riggs, James, Janeway and Billings remained at or within easy summons of the bedside of the stricken merchant throughout the night. Preparations to administer oxygen as a last expedient were made and this was taken by those about the hotel to mean that the end was near.

William G. Beal of Chicago, Mr. Field's personal attorney, remains at the Holland house, also Stanley Field, Mr. Field's nephew, and Mrs. Stanley Field.

A CONFERENCE

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The coal operators, including the big railroad operators as well as individual mine owners, will meet the miner's representatives in about two weeks it was said yesterday by the president of a coal railroad. The exact date of the conference has not been fixed. Probably it will be held in this city early in February after the national convention of the United Mine Workers.

President George F. Baer of the Reading and John Mitchell, head of the United Mine Workers', recently reached an agreement for conference. The railroad operators have not outlined their attitude toward the miners. It was said yesterday for the reason that the miners have not presented their case fully.

The individual operators, it was said, will be represented by Joseph L. Cake of the Clear Spring Coal company at West Pitson, Pa., and by Frank Pardee of the Pardee Coal company at Hazelton. Mr. Baer will represent the railroad operators.

WHEN IN DOUBT

If you've a cough and don't know what to do, get Howard's Pine-Balm. Guaranteed to cure or money back. Made from nature's remedies, roots, barks and herbs. Very pleasant and perfectly safe for children. Samples free. Large bottles a quarter. Howard, the druggist, 197 Central street. Open till midnight.

ADMIT PASTORS

Socialists in the C. F. U. Lose Point

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—After a stormy meeting the Central Federated union yesterday passed a resolution to admit as fraternal delegates Rev. M. S. Littlefield and Rev. John H. Haynes representing the New York Presbytery. It looked at first as if the Socialists who were up in arms against the admission of the clergymen would carry the day. Mr. Littlefield, who went through the whole proceedings, turned the tide by a little speech he made before the vote was taken.

The conditions under which the two clergymen were admitted provide that they are to have neither voice nor vote.

No less than twenty-three speakers talked on the subject, most of them against the admission of the clergymen.

"We don't want any sky pilots here," said August Gildmeister of the Atlantic Coast Seamen's union. "This body has only to do with earthly things. Before we look after our souls we ought to see that our bodies are not starving."

Ephraim Kauffmann of the clothing cutters' union scored the delegates for their narrowness as also did former Assemblyman Prince, who represented the Cigarmakers.

The speeches which followed were a medley of socialism, trade unionism and religion. Mr. Littlefield finally got the privilege of the floor.

"I represent a closed shop," he said and he was interrupted with shouts of applause. Then he explained that his closed shop was the industry, every member of which had to be thoroughly qualified.

"I want to say," he continued, "that I am getting a church built and none but union men will be allowed to finish it."

More applause followed and Mr. Littlefield went on to say that all the ministers wanted was to get a chance of investigating labor conditions at the fountain head and invited the delegates to send representatives to the meetings of the Presbytery.

His speech turned the scale and by a vote of 48 to 23 it was decided to admit the pastors.

A LARGE CLAIM

Arising From Trouble in Venezuela

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The latest information from Caracas regarding the Critchfield claim against Venezuela which dispatches from Washington say will be pressed by the state department is that it will be satisfactorily adjusted between the government of Venezuela and The United States, and the Venezuela company which now operates the Critchfield concessions, says the Tribune. The claim grows out of the shutting down by the government of the asphalt property, "El Inglarte" near Maracaibo, for failure to pay an export tax imposed on the product by President Castro. The claim is for $1,500,000. The terms of the Critchfield concession included a clause that the asphalt from "El Inglarte" was to be free from such a tax as was imposed by President Castro. The property was shut down about the time that the high federal court cancelled the concession of the New York and Bermudez company at Guanoco. The government contended that aside from the non-payment of taxes, the Critchfield concession was never approved by the congress according to the laws of Venezuela. The trouble, however, is said to have been settled by Ambrose Howard Carter, receiver of the Guanoco lake property who intercedd with Castro in the interests of the United States and Venezuela company. The congress which convenes in Caracas in April will confirm the concession and the claim will be withdrawn.

FRENCH SHIPS

May be on Way to Venezuela

PARIS, Jan. 15.—The positive statement was made at the foreign office today that diplomatic relations between France and Venezuela have not yet been officially broken off. M. Taisny, the French charge d'affaires, still remains at Caracas. A rupture, however, is imminent, though the order to sever relations with Venezuela has not been despatched. All communications, owing to the interruption of direct telegraphic connection with Caracas, pass through Washington with which capital an understanding exists. The American minister, Mr. Russell, will take charge of French interests in Venezuela when the official notification of the cessation of diplomatic relations is given.

The reports that the French squadron is proceeding to Venezuelan waters are not confirmed but on the other hand they are not denied, the officials here maintaining the strictest discretion relative to the measures France is likely to adopt.

LOWELL TRUST COMPANY.

The Lowell Trust company held its annual meeting Saturday and elected the following officers:

President, George M. Harrigan; vice-presidents, Royal S. Ripley, Constantine O'Donnell, George L. Huntoon; directors, Frank R. Dow, M. P. Gookin, Lemuel W. Hall, C. H. Hanson, George M. Harrigan, George L. Huntoon, John J. Hogan, Patrick Keyes, Thomas C. Lee, Constantine O'Donnell, P. O'Hearn, James F. O'Donnell, Humphrey O'Sullivan, Orrin R. Hartlett, Royal S. Ripley, Bartholomew Scannell, Paul Vigeant.

The statement presented showed the past year to have been the most successful in the bank's history, both as to increase in business and profit. The regular 28th semi-annual dividend was paid at the rate of 5 per cent. and a satisfactory amount carried to the surplus.

MONEY FOR PARKS

Higher Appropriation is Wanted This Year

The park commissioners have submitted the following self-explanatory letter to be given to the different members of the committee on appropriations:

Last year we started on the first of the year with $12,341.99. Out of this sum we have spent for improvements the sum of $8,298.88 and for maintenance the sum of $3,941.78 and returned to the general treasury fund a balance of $101, having ended the year with no bills paid but earnings from the leasing of lots on the South common amounted to $1,129.00 and we received from Lowell Gas Light company for the destruction of trees the sum of $[illegible] which has been paid into the general treasury.

The amount of money which we ask for will be necessary to carry us through the year. We have not padded the amount asked for with the expectation of being cut down. The list as it stands represents the actual amount that is needed for the purposes mentioned.

Last year the appropriation for labor was $[illegible]. This year was ask for $10,000. Why? In the years past it has been the custom to spend all the money appropriated for labor for the work of maintenance. During the past year we spent for improvements $3,-801.01, a little over 1-3 of the labor appropriation. It is our object to carry on the work of improving the North common by laying out a baseball ground, installing gymnasium apparatus for the children, repairing of the walks on the South common, finish the work already begun there, repair the walks. All the other parks and commons require more or less attention, and to do the work requires men, and to pay the men money is required. The average number of men employed in this department in 12 Which number is too small to carry on the work as it should be.

Last year we spent for lumber $1853 this year we ask for $[illegible]. Why? Because we will need to build about 50 more park seats, we are building a new cart, and the tool house at Fort Hill park will have to be replaced as it is in very bad shape and is too small at the present time.

Last year we spent for horse shoeing $[illegible], this year we ask for $100. Why? This year we are keeping the horses ourselves and we will have one more horse.

Last year we spent for fertilizers and manures, $10.92, this year we ask for $100. Why? Because for several years past the parks and commons have received no dressing and the shrubs and grass are like people if they receive no nourishment, they die.

New hose, during the winter we lost a valuable horse by black water, it will be necessary to buy another this spring.

Last year we spent for harness repairs and supplies $70.78, this year we ask for $150. Why? Because it is necessary to purchase one set of double, one express and one driving harnesses as we have none. The old harnesses go as long as we could, they are now worn out, as none have been bought for several years.

We ask for $75 for seat castings. Why? Because there is a demand for more seats on the parks and commons and the people should have them.

We ask for $60 for a typewriter. Why? Because it is needed in the office, at the present time we have to borrow a machine and it is inconvenient having to do the work at night all reports made to the board are required to be in writing.

We ask for $350 for engineer's services and incidentals. Why? Because the work we propose to do will require a great deal of engineering and we expect Olmstead Bros. will send their bill in this year for services rendered.

We ask for $50 for sanitaries, one for the North and one for the South common. Why? Because we consider that they are essential to the comfort of the people who visit these two commons.

We ask for $619.20 for 1376 square yards of concrete on Park Garden, North and South commons, at 45 cents per yard. Why? Because the walks on these places are in very bad condition and should be repaired at once.

We ask for $55 to curb Water Works square. Why? Because the people of Centralville have petitioned the board for the past two years to fix up this square.

We ask for $150 for shrubs for Fort Hill park. Why? Because we desire to complete the work as laid out by Olmsted Brothers in their plans; at the present time Fort Hill and Tyler parks are but partly completed.

We ask for $150 for vitrified brick. Why? Because the crossing at the entrance to Fort Hill park is in a very bad condition and when you cross you sink in the mud; several complaints have been made by the residents of Belvidere in regard to it.

We ask for $1000 for trees. Why? Because there is hardly a tree in the city that does not need trimming and some of them are in a very bad condition, several need to be removed. We ask for $200 besides to remove the trees killed by gas in Middlesex Village; there are 65 trees in a dangerous condition, the gas company paid the above sum for the removal and also the planting of other trees.

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FUNERALS

DUGDALE.—The funeral services of the late Mrs. Edward Dugdale were held from her late home, 415 Lawrence street yesterday afternoon, and were very largely attended. Prayers were offered at the house, after which the funeral cortege proceeded to the Bethesda P. M. church in Moore street. The services at the church were in charge of Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the First Primitive Methodist church, assisted by the associate pastor, Rev. F. M. Oakes.

A quartet, consisting of Mrs. Walter McQuade, Miss May Burtt, Mr. Mark Stavely, Mr. Samuel Burtt, rendered very feelingly the selections, "Nearer, My God, To Thee," "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," "Rock of Ages," and "Mother, Thou Art Gone to Rest," favorite selections of the deceased. Miss Burkett presided at the organ. The services over, an opportunity was given the many friends to take a last look at the face of the deceased, after which the solemn procession proceeded to the Edson cemetery, where all that was mortal was consigned to the last resting place.

The floral tributes were profuse and were a silent token of the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many sorrowing friends, and included the following pieces: Pillow, marked "Mother," from James, Emily and Albert Dugdale; star and crescent on base, marked "Grandma," Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Dugdale; Miss Lavina Booth, wreath marked "Grandma," from Richard, Jennie and Etta May Dugdale; sheaf of wheat and roses, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eaton; wreath of laurel leaves, from Mr. Thomas Connors and family; spray of calla lilies and pansies, from Greenwood brothers; wreath of lilies and roses, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wright; wreath of laurel leaves and pansies, Ladies' Aid Society; pillow, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dugdale; sprays of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dugdale, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frye, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Dugdale, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kay, Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Murry, Mr. and Mrs. Conley, Mrs. James Dugdale, Mrs. and Miss Rhodes, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Hardy.

The bearers were Mr. Thomas England, Mr. Michael Bowden, Mr. Edward Drewett, Mr. Samuel Burtt. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. J. A. Weinbeck in charge.

CARNEY.—The funeral of George H. Carney, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Carney of 25 Falmouth street, took place yesterday afternoon. Burial was in Tyngsboro. J. A. Weinbeck superintended the funeral arrangements.

ROBINSON.—The funeral services of Marilla Robinson, infant daughter of John W. and Blanche Staples Robinson, were held on Sunday afternoon at the home of her parents, 91 Willey street, Rev. Arthur P. Wedge conducting the services. The singing was under the direction of Mr. F. O. Blunt, by six boys of St. John's Episcopal choir, of which Mr. Robinson was a former member. "Lead Kindly Light," "Sometime We'll Understand," and "Nearer My God to Thee," were sweetly rendered.

Many and beautiful flowers testified to the loving sympathy of friends and relatives. The bearers, Herbert A. Wright and Burton H. Wiggin, were great uncles of the little one.

Burial was in the Lowell cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

ROGERS.—The funeral of Antonio Rogers was held Saturday afternoon from the home of his parents, 4 Hale street, and burial was in the Edson cemetery. A. H. Bixby & Co. had charge.

DARRACOTT.—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine J. Darracott took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home, 52 Pawtucket street, Rev. Charles M. Billings of the First Unitarian church was the officiating clergyman. The Temple quartet gave appropriate songs. Mr. Walter Coburn had charge of the funeral arrangements. The body will be sent to Mt. Auburn cemetery for burial by J. B. Currier & Co.

CARROLL.—The funeral services of Mary Carroll were held yesterday afternoon at the Immaculate Conception church, Rev. Fr. Lawrence officiating. The bearers were Messrs. James Cox, Patrick Kane, John Fay, John Gallagher, William Wilder and John J. Slack. Fr. Lawrence read the committal prayers at the grave in St. Patrick's cemetery. J. F. Rogers was in charge of the arrangements.

DELMEGE.—The funeral of Savannah Delmege took place from the chapel in the Edson cemetery, yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Rev. L. C. Manchester, of St. John's Episcopal church, officiated. The bearers were: William Fairbrother, Lawrence Buckley, James Doyle, Charles Maxwell, William Maxwell and J. Sweetsir. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck in charge.

LEWIS.—The funeral of Ruth Lewis, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Lewis, of 181 Middlesex street, who died of cerebro-spinal meningitis, Saturday morning, took place from the home, Saturday afternoon. The services were private. Rev. B. F. Kingsley was the officiating clergyman. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. J. A. Weinbeck had charge.

FRENCH.—The funeral of Mrs. Rhoda R. French took place Saturday from the home of her grandson, Dr. C. B. Livingston, 153 Westford street. Rev. George Dean officiated. The bearers were Charles Merrill, Ernest Clifford, Sumner Clifford and Samuel Bigelow. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. C. M. Young & Co. in charge.

TEAGUE.—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Teague took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her home, 115 Concord street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 3 o'clock services were held. Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O. M. I., officiating. The bearers were Andrew McAleon, John Burns, Bernard McGahan, Hugh McNespie, John McKeever and Terence McKeever. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

IS LEGAL

TO PUBLISH NAMES OF THOSE WHO SELL ADULTERATED SEED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Attorney General Moody has rendered an opinion for Secretary Wilson, holding that it will be lawful for the head of the department of agriculture to publish the names of dealers who sell adulterated seed. The question arose because the secretary of agriculture had an impression that if he did publish such names he would be liable for damages in actions for libel.

MISSING BONDS

Said to be Hidden in Woods

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—No attempt was made yesterday to unearth the $175,000 worth of bonds and stocks which the thief, William Barrett, says is buried in the woods at Chestnut Hill. The doubt has given place to conviction in the minds of the residents and police that Barrett has told the truth, and that the securities are there. Barrett is believed to have no reason to be afraid now, and the fact that he refuses to say exactly where the property is buried is accounted for by his love of liberty.

Many asked why Barrett should have troubled to bury mere watch works. The ordinary burglar would seek to dispose of the watch whole and likely would be caught doing it. Barrett, however, to avoid detection melted the cases into bullion and sold it for the current price of the metal. The works, with their tell-tale numbers and markings, he hid in a way that left absolutely no trace. While the officers watched the pawnshops for the watches, Barrett enjoyed in luxury the proceeds of his bullion.

In strict accordance with this method, which puzzled the authorities and kept Barrett out of jail for so many years, is the story of the buried securities. Nothing more surely leads to the arrest of a bond or stock thief than an attempt to negotiate the paper. So Barrett buried them.

Barrett told his pal, James Chaffee, that these securities were buried in Hammond's woods, and even went so far as to give him a diagram of the place. Chaffee was seen searching for them near where the boxes were found. He didn't find the boxes, and for the same reason all may have missed the securities.

TO THE STOCKADE

Men Accused of Murder Will be Sent

FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 15.—Friends of Dr. C. H. Harle here have been advised that he and the two other defendants, Richardson and Mason, under sentence of death in Chihuahua, Mexico, for the alleged poisoning of two Americans, policyholders of a life insurance company of New York, will not be executed in accordance with the court's decree by being shot but will be sent to the convict stockade on the islands in the tropics off the coast of the Southern republican to serve terms of twenty years each at hard labor, presumably in the salt mines.

Dr. Harle, formerly practiced medicine in Texas. Richardson and Mason came from Rochester, N. Y., and were in Dallas for a time.

POOL TOURNAMENT

OPENS AT Y. M. C. A. TOMORROW.

The much anticipated pool tournament of the Y. M. C. A. begins tomorrow evening and being the first of its kind ever held at the association it promises to be a big success. Four teams are entered and there are two fine tables.

The winners of the trophy will also get a free dinner.

The teams are the Cranes, the Cockoos, the Eagles, and the Loons. These names were dug out of the dictionary by the office staff, which spent two days of last week on the job.

OLD BUILDING

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The Charles H. Joyce company of Central and Middle streets has purchased the wooden building on Middle street, adjoining its establishment, now occupied by Allen & Co., trunk dealers.

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This evening from 5 to 9.30 o'clock we'll hold another old time Monday night sale

Women's silk petticoats which sold formerly at $4.00, $4.50, $5 and $6 will be marked . . $2.93

Women's knit underwear which sold formerly at 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 will be marked . . . 25c

Women's hosiery which sold formerly at 25c, 38c, 50c and 75c will be marked 15c, 2 for 25c

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Capital Stock	$125,000.00
Surplus and Profits (Earned)	$58,000.00
Deposits	$1,300,000.00

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LOWELL BOY

"TOMMY" McDERMOTT WON LOVING CUP AT DERRY.

"Tommy" McDermott is the amateur champion roller skater of New England. Saturday night at Derry, N. H., the Lowell boy defeated Clarence Hamilton of Quincy, in a five-mile race. The referee called a foul on Hamilton and gave the race to Tommy and also the loving cup for which the boys struggled. McDermott got the lead at the start and held it for three miles. When the fourth mile started Hamilton attempted to pass McDermott and pushed the Lowell boy to one side. The referee saw the foul but allowed the race to go on to the end and then awarded it to McDermott although Hamilton finished first. The foul, however, disqualified him. Friday night at the Elite rink McDermott defeated Hamilton in a most exciting contest and won the title. It is likely that the two will meet in this city again as Hamilton's friends still believe that their man is capable of defeating the Lowell racer.

BACK FROM MANILA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—The army transport Sherman, arriving from Manila yesterday brought the enlisted men of the 22nd infantry numbering 560 men and their officers. They will be stationed about this bay.

A passenger was General W. H. Carter who has been for the past three years in command of the department of Visayas, including the islands of Mindanao and Samar. He is enroute to Chicago to take command of the department of the Lakes.

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All Assorted and matched into suitable lengths for Dressess or Waists. New patterns made in the past three months for the coming spring and summer selling. Light, dainty and slick fabrics in woven checks and stripes embroidered with dots or figures

We Offer the Entire Lot for Sale on Tuesday Morning at

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SAVED BY FISHERMEN

Passengers of the Cherokee Had Terrible Experience

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan 15.—After 24 hours of terrible anxiety, the passengers and crew, 60 in all, of the Clyde steamer Cherokee, bound from San Domingo for New York, which went aground on the Brigantine shoals Friday, were rescued late yesterday afternoon and landed here. Captain Archibald, two mates and the ship's carpenter decided to remain aboard the stranded steamer. The rescue was accomplished by Captain Mark Caste and a picked crew in the sloop yacht Alberta and their experience was almost as thrilling as that of the passengers. More than a thousand persons greeted the storm-tossed party as the sloop sailed into the inlet with the report that all hands were safe. Not in years have the inhabitants of Brigantine and Absecom beaches been so wrought up for the safety of a stranded ship's company and never were so many attempts made or perilous chances taken to reach a ship in the face of a fierce northeast Atlantic storm as were ventured in the rescue of the Cherokee's party.

When the Cherokee ran her nose into the sand of the treacherous Brigantine shoals on Friday, there was no fear for the safety of the vessel or those on board. The sea was comparatively smooth and it was expected that she would be floated at the next high tide. The life crews from Atlantic City and Absecom, South Brigantine and Brigantine immediately went to the rescue, but they were assured that there was no danger. Some of the passengers became a little anxious and wanted to be landed, but this the captain could not permit without orders from the company, so all hands decided to make the best of it. At the request of dthe captain the South Brigantine life savers remained aboard the steamer.

During the night a moderate northeast storm set in causing the sea to become choppy and sending the vessel deeper into the sand. Daylight Saturday found the storm in full blast, making it impossible to launch a boat or for a boat from shore to come near the steamer. A heavy rain set in and later in the day a fog settled down and the vessel was lost to view. The wind rose until it reached a velocity of 13 miles, which churned up the sea and caused breakers to dash against the vessel with such violence that the passengers and crew had to leave the deck.

Nothing was heard from the passengers after the fog settled until dawn yesterday when a signal from the steamer reported all hands still on board. The life savers deemed it folly to attempt to go to the steamer in the sea that was running, but it was decided to send two men in a launch. This was done and when it was about to go over the bar at the mouth of the inlet the launch's machinery became disarranged and it drifted about helplessly. Another launch was sent out and brought back the two men in the disabled launch. Then it was decided that the staunch sloop Alberta with Captain Caste at the helm and a picked crew, should make an attempt to reach the Cherokee, and if possible, take off those on board. The Alberta got over the inlet bar in safety and then went pitching up the coast towards the stranded vessel. When abreast of the steamer the sloop put about and came to the leeward. A small boat was launched and several of the crew made the perilous trip to the steamer. They found the passengers and most of the crew in a terrible state of anxiety. The women were weeping and the men were pleading that something be done.

Captain Archibald and Captain Caste decided to make the attempt to transfer the passengers. Only four or five were taken at a time and after nearly two hours' work all but the captain and three of his crew were safely aboard the Alberta. From Brigantine beach hundreds watched the rescue, while away off at the Atlantic City inlet a number of men with strong glasses kept the anxious crowd there informed of the progress of the rescue. A great cheer went up when it was announced that the Alberta, loaded with people was leaving the steamer. It did not take the sloop long to make the run to the inlet, where the passengers and crew were congratulated on their safe landing. Most of them were in an exhausted condition, not having slept for 48 hours. Agents of the company took charge of the party, sending all the passengers and crew, sending all where physicians prescribed for those who suffered worst from the terrible experience.

Among those landed was Lieutenant H. M. L. Walker, formerly of the United States cruiser Yankee, who was returning to Washington from Puerto Plata. He said the scenes aboard the steamer were heart rending. The women prayed and men paced to and fro, believing that the great waves that were washing over the helpless vessel would tear her to pieces. All of Saturday night and Sunday morning the passengers and crew huddled about a fire in the galley. The terrific pounding caused the vessel to strain and leak badly. Early Saturday night there were ten feet of water in the hold and all fires went out with the exception of the one in the galley.

The Cherokee, while in a perilous position, is in no immediate danger of breaking up unless another storm should set in. The vessel's nose is deep in the sand and it will be difficult to float her. The wrecking tug North America is standing by and will take off the captain and his three men if there is danger of the vessel going to pieces.

CREW IN MUTINY.

According to Captain Sheppard, his crew was for four days in practical mutiny, his life being in peril every moment of that time. When the Mayberry became unmanageable on December 10 the crew, negroes shipped in the South, collected a butt of water, some pork, flour and beans and carried them to the top of the deckhouse. Later in the day all hands were forced to seek refuge on the roof. Then four of the negroes declared that they were going to desert the ship.

Captain Sheppard pulled his revolver and announced that he would shoot the first man who attempted to take the boat. This quieted them somewhat, but they insisted that the food be portioned out and the result was that the first meal was served with the captain standing by, revolver in hand.

"One night, that of December 12," says Captain Sheppard, "I knew they had decided to murder me. They talked in groups and continually followed my movements, keeping as near as possible. I didn't get a wink of sleep that night. I simply sat and watched them as best I could, my revolver in my hand. That seemed to have a quieting effect for after that life was less strenuous. You can imagine our position when I told you that the sea was continually making a sweep over us."

On Dec. 14 they were reduced to one small bottle of water and this the captain carefully guarded. Fortunately that night it rained and they were able to secure thirty gallons of water. On December 15 in latitude 36.08, longitude 71.15, they were sighted by the Statia bound from Honduras to Havre. The vessel ran down near the bark and the captain signalled that it was too dark for rescue but that he would stand by during the night. On the morning of Dec. 16 they were taken off without accident.

L. A. Train of New York, one of the passengers of the Cherokee, suffered a total collapse last night and is in a precarious condition at Bates inlet hotel.

Late last night it was reported that the Cherokee is loosening in the beams and that about 15 feet of water is in her hold.

Consul Handley when seen last night declared that the passengers from the time she struck begged the captain to send them ashore but the captain advised them to remain as he saw no danger and he would soon have them in New York. He raised the question of custom laws which he did not wish to violate.

Frank Westbrook, purser of the Cherokee, said there was no truth in the statement of the passengers that the captain refused to let the passengers ashore.

All the passengers seen commend Mrs. Palmer, the stewardess, for her bravery and cool manner which inspired others, even the men.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

One of the funniest comedies ever seen in this city will be presented by the members of the Academy of Music Stock company at the Academy of Music for one week, commencing tonight. To say that the play is a funny one is putting it very light, for it is mirth provoker from start to finish.

Mr. William R. Randall, a leading man in stock companies for a number of years, and an actor of no mean ability, will play the leading role. He will be supported by the other members of the company, which is practically the same as the Huntington Stock Co., with the exception of Mr. Huntington.

A good many of the theatre-goers of this city have seen the presentation of "The Man from Mexico" at different times and to them it is needless to go into detail. The story is that of a man named Fitzhew who went out to "do" the town up one night, but had not gone far before he figured in a raid and was arrested. His obstreperous manner in court, however, resulted in his being sent away for 30 days, and in order that his immediate relatives and friends would not learn of his difficulty he leaves word that he is going to Mexico.

The play is full of laughable situations and the different trials and tribulations of the same Fitzhew are so funny that they keep the audience roaring from the time the curtain rises until it falls on the last act.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening with the exception of Monday and Friday afternoons.

ANOTHER BRANCH

OF STRONG SOCIETY WAS FOUNDED YESTERDAY.

A new branch of the Artisans Canadiens-Francais was founded yesterday in Pawtucketville. The meeting at which the new branch was formed was presided over by L. N. Miot and several members of Branch St. Andre spoke in favor of the founding of the new branch.

If you want help at home, or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

VICTORY AGAIN

Lowell High Girls Trim Belmont

The girls' [illegible] team of the High school [illegible] Belmont High girls only a [illegible] Saturday afternoon [illegible].

The score was [illegible] 18, Belmont 1, and the [illegible] of the home team was the [illegible] feature of the contest. Miss F[illegible] again the star basket thrower [illegible] baskets she tossed included [illegible] difficult throws. Miss Fairburn [illegible] the other six baskets credited to the home team. The passing of the [illegible] girls was exceptionally good [illegible] their clever floor work and offensive play were applauded.

The team [illegible] up on Saturday is about as strong an aggregation as could be picked [illegible] the school and gives promise of upholding the championship title won by the team captained by Ruth Balke.

The game next Saturday will be with the Somerville English High school team.

The summary:

L. H. S.	B. H. S.
Miss Farmer rf	lb Miss Kewer
Miss Fairburn lf	rb Miss King
Miss Sanders rc	lc Miss Fisher
Miss Jewett cc	cc Miss Lincoln
Miss F. Sawyer lc	rc Miss Husband
Miss A. Spalding rb	lf Miss Fenwick
Miss Barnes lb	rf Miss Cushman

Score—Lowell H. S. 18, Belmont H. S. 1. Baskets from floor—Miss Farmer 18, Miss Fairburn 6. Basket on foul—Belmont. Referee—Carl D. Burtt, Lowell. Umpire—Miss Edith Steadman, Belmont. Linesmen—Misses Rivet, Savage, Carter and Coggeshall.

MELROSE H. S. 46, LOWELL H. S. 12

MELROSE, Jan. 15. The Melrose and Lowell high school basketball teams played a game in the gym of the Y. M. C. A. Saturday afternoon, which Melrose won easily, 46 to 12. The features of the game were the playing of Vaughn, Loveland and Bowser for Melrose, and of Croft and Gendrow for Lowell. The summary:

MELROSE H. S.	LOWELL H. S.
Mitchell rf	lb Scribner
Loveland lf	rb Dow
Vaughn c	c Early
Bowser rb	lf Croft
Stantial lb	rf Gendrow

Score, Melrose 46, Lowell 12. Goals from floor, Loveland 7, Vaughn 6, Bowser 5, Mitchell 3, Stantial, Croft 3, Gendrow. Goals from fouls, Vaughn, Loveland, Gendrow 4. Referee, Mosher. Umpire, Brown. Scorer, Ward. Timer, Scott. Time, 20m. halves.

FR. MATHEWS 23, LOWELL 11.

AMESBURY, Mass., Jan. 15. The Father Mathew basketball team defeated the Lowell team at town hall Saturday night, 23 to 11, in a fast and clean game. The summary:

FR. MATHEWS	LOWELL
Leonard rf	lb Hall
Cloutier lf	rb Lynch
Wall lf	
Flanagan c	c Connor
Cloutier c	
Fenders rb	lf Murphy
Flanerty lb	rf Sounahan

Score, Fr. Mathews 23, Lowell 11. Goals from floor, Cloutier 2, Leonard 3, Fenders 5, Connor, Lynch, Hall 4. Goals from fouls, Fr. Mathews 3, Lowell. Referee, O'Brien. Scorer, Brierly. Timer, Casey. Time, 3 15m. periods. Attendance 600.

LOWELL T. S. 20, CUSHING ACADEMY 10.

ASHBURNHAM, Jan. 15. Lowell Textile basketball team defeated the Cushing academy team by a score of 20 to 10 by fast playing all round. The summary:

LOWELL T. S.	CUSHING ACADEMY
McDonald lf	rb Hosmer
Walker rf	lb McKenzie
Gay c	c Loeber
Field rb	lf Sherwin
Carr lb	rf Paquet

Score, Lowell T. S. 20, Cushing academy 10. Goals from floor, Hosmer, Sherwin, Paquet, Field 2, Gay 3, Walker 2. Goals from fouls, Hosmer, Sherwin 3, Walker 6. Referee, Whelan. Umpire, Thorpe. Timers, Bartlett and Bicknell. Time 20m halves.

LOWELL CENTRALS 25, CO. D 13.

FITCHBURG, Jan. 15.—The Centrals of Lowell defeated Co. D, in one of the fastest and roughest games of the season, 25 to 13, in the armory Saturday night. It was the first game of a series between the teams and every player worked hard for victory. The visitors were the strongest aggregation that has appeared here this season. Fields and Tighe played a fast passing game and excelled for the visitors. Lynch was repeatedly warned by the referee for his rough tactics. Fields threw some sensational baskets from the floor and got seven out of 10 baskets on free tries. Conlon, Cullen and Wallman played a clever passing game for the locals. The summary:

CENTRALS	COMPANY D
Allard lf	rb W. Bonner, C. Bonner
Lew rf	lb Sheehan
Fields c	c Wallman
Tighe lb	rf Conlon
Lynch rb	lf Cullen

Score, Centrals 25, Co. D 13. Goals from floor, Fields 2, Lew 2, Wallman, Sheehan, Conlon, W. Bonner, Tighe 3, Allard, Cullen, C. Bonner, Lynch. Goals from fouls, Fields 7, Conlon. Referee, M. Godley. Timer, Dolan. Time 20m halves.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Phileas Boutin and Miss Elizabeth Leblanc were married yesterday at St. Joseph's rectory, by Rev. Fr. Brullard, O. M. I. Mr. Honore Lemire was best man and Miss Alma Leblanc, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. In the evening a reception to friends and relatives took place at the residence of the groom's parents, Haverhill street, Dracut.

HAVE RESIGNED

Savings Banks Commissioners are Out

BOSTON, Jan 15. Hon. Warren E. Locke of Norwood, chairman, and James O. Otis of Malden, members of the state board of savings bank commissioners, are out.

They resigned their [illegible] Saturday afternoon and Gov. Guild quickly accepted them, giving at the same time his reasons for so accepting. No charge had been made touching the personal honor or honesty of either commissioner.

But the attorney-general had told the governor that under the law of 1902 the bank commissioners had the power to investigate the affairs of such corporations as the Provident Securities and Banking company. The governor found that the commissioners, the two mentioned, had not exercised that power.

The result of the attorney-general's ruling was that his excellency sent for the commissioners.

Hon. Warren E. Locke, James O. Otis and the new member, Andrew M. Dorr of Boston, who was appointed but three months ago, responded to the call. The conference did not last long.

The governor made it clear, after the commissioners had explained that they had misconstrued the law of 1902, and had also pointed out that they had frequently opposed the law which permitted such corporations as the Provident securities and banking company to do business here, that the best way out of the difficulty was for Messrs. Locke and Otis to tender their resignations.

Mr. Dorr, as stated above, had only been a member of the board for three months, and since that time the board, as a matter of fact, has been investigating these quasi-banking companies.

Messrs. Locke and Otis generously emphasized this fact in favor of their colleague to the governor.

Within a few hours after the conference the joint resignation of chairman Locke and Commissioner Otis, which the governor had requested, was tendered. The governor accepted the resignations, to take effect on the qualification of the successors, who will undoubtedly be appointed without delay.

Commissioner Dorr will undoubtedly be requested to continue on the commission.

BOWLING NEWS

Bowlaway Tournament Won by Brownies

The Bowlaway tournament which came to an end last Friday night proved to be one of the most successful tournaments ever held in this city. The battle from the outset was between the Brownies and Fairmounts and the former team won by the narrow margin of one point.

The following were the prize winners:

Team prizes Brownies, first, [illegible]; Fairmounts, second, $25; Indians, third, $10, greatest pinfall, Fairmounts, 14,74[illegible], $5; greatest three strings, Fairmounts, 1457, $1, greatest single string, Fairmounts, 516, $2.

Individual prizes Coleman, high average, 75 games, 94 2-45, $25; Fullerton, high average, 42 games, 56 75-76 $10; Dwyer, high average, 27 strings, 90 26-27, $15; Higgins, high average, 21 strings, 101 2-7 $10; Kelly, high 3-string total, 325, $5; O'Brien and Hall, second high 3-string total 314, $6, King, high single, 126, $5; Moran and Bridge, second high single, 123, $1; Fullerton, spares, 64, $5; Slavin, strikes, 16, $2.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Brownies	43	11	.796
Fairmounts	42	12	.778
Indians	33	21	.610
Olympics	32	22	.592
R. & M.	29	25	.536
Warnalancets	25	29	.463
South Ends	23	31	.426
Hillsides	21	33	.389
Thorndikes	18	36	.333
B. & N.	8	46	.148

CATHOLIC LEAGUE.

The race for first position in the Catholic league is growing very interesting, the Y. M. C. I.'s and Burkes being tied for first place. The Mathews are a good third, and lead the Burkes in pinfall.

This week the Burkes play the St. Louis team and expect to take five points. The Y. M. C. I. team meets the C. M. A. C. five and as the latter are going along some it is hard to say whether or not the former will be able to win five points. Assuming that they do not, the Burkes will take first place. On the other hand the reckoning may be just the other way and the Burkes may take the tumble.

BOWLAWAY TOURNAMENT.

The new Bowlaway tournament will open tonight at the Bowlaway alleys with the following teams in the league: Olympics, Brownies, Thorndikes, Indians, Fairmounts, Centralvilles, Vagabonds, Blind Tigers, Pastimes and Commercials. The following is the schedule for this week:

Monday, Brownies vs. Vagabonds; Tuesday, Blind Tigers vs. Pastimes; Wednesday, Olympics vs. Centralvilles; Thursday, Commercials vs. Thorndikes; Friday, Indians vs. Fairmounts.

Dr. Moses Greeley Parker, of this city, president of the Massachusetts society of the Sons of the American Revolution, delivered an able address Friday evening at Worcester at the sixth annual meeting and banquet of the allied patriotic societies of that city, the D. A. R., D. R., S. A. R., and S. R.

AWARDED $11,000

Former Lowell Couple Recover Big Damages

Damages amounting to $11,000 [illegible] at the Boston & Worcester street [illegible] have been awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitney, formerly of this city, now residents of Springfield, and Miss Lydia M. Locke. Mr. Whitney is the once well known ball player who played third base for Lowell and with the New York National team.

The suits were tried in Springfield last week to recover damages as the result of injuries to the two women sustained in an accident near Westboro, Aug. 1, 1904, when cars for Worcester and for Boston met on a single track in collision.

Mr. Whitney, who is a foreman for the [illegible] Sporting Goods company, sued to recover for the loss of his wife's services. The plaintiffs' suits aggregate $[illegible] as follows: Mr. Whitney $10,000, Mrs. Whitney $[illegible], Miss Locke $10,000. The verdict by the jury awarded the damages as follows: Mr. Whitney $1500, Mrs. Whitney $[illegible], Miss Locke $6000.

TEXTILE GOSSIP

Items From Several Mill Centers

FALL RIVER, Mass., Jan. 15. A rescript has been returned from the supreme judicial court giving a judgment in favor of the defendant in the water rights case of the New England Cotton Yarn Co. vs. Laurel Lake Mills. The case went to the supreme court on an agreed statement of fact, and on the facts agreed the judgment of the court was that the action could not be maintained.

NEW COMPANY INCORPORATED.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Jan. 15. Amberg & Co. has been incorporated with $50,000 capital stock. Incorporation papers were filed at Lockport. The directors are Max Amberg, Albert Goldman, Ira H. Hamer, George E. Diemer and Lucian R. Brown. The company will manufacture clothing, hats and men's furnishings.

ADDITION TO SILK PLANT.

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 15. The Windsor Silk Co., manufacturers of broad silk goods, will shortly commission an architect to prepare plans for a large factory building which the company will erect in the spring. While the concern has not yet decided on details it has asked for sketches for a brick building, 80x300, two stories high.

ONEIDA HOSIERY CO. CHANGES.

ONEIDA, N. Y., Jan. 15. The Oneida Hosiery Co. has taken possession of a part of the Warner Industrial building in Vanderbilt avenue, and the company is already installing a portion of its business. The finishing and shipping departments have been moved to the Warner plant, but the knitters will remain in the old plant for some time yet occupying the third floor completely and a portion of another floor. In the spring the Oneida Hosiery Co. will begin the construction of a large three-story brick plant, the plans for which have been perfected and a site selected. The new building will be located near the Central railroad.

CLOTHING COMPANY INCORPORATED.

GULFPORT, Miss., Jan. 15. The State Clothing Co., with a capital of $10,000, has been formed with Louis A. Near and Clyde A. Wadsworth as incorporators.

HOSIERY MILL CHANGES OWNERS.

MILTON, Pa., Jan. 15. The West Branch Hosiery Co. and the Milton Spinning Co., recently purchased by a syndicate of capitalists, have been turned over to the new company by Receiver J. L. Higlee. The directors of the new concern are John Knoell, Henry Myers, Edward Hecht, S. E. Pleman and L. N. Goldenburg. The company is incorporated under the name of the West Branch Knitting Co., which will operate all three plants, the hosiery, underwear and spinning mills. The officers for the ensuing year are: President, Edward Hecht; secretary, Henry Myers; treasurer, John Knoell. M. Goldenburg will be general manager.

GRIP

Don't let grip get the best of you. When your bones commence to ache, when your body begins to feel languid, your head to ache, your [illegible] fevered, and your appetite goes on a vacation, [illegible] JOHNSON'S Anodyne LINIMENT at once. It is [illegible] known remedy for grip and kindred ailments, [illegible] Colds, Sore Throat, Croup, Bronchitis and [illegible] there is nothing like it for affording [illegible] relief.

JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT

[illegible]

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LOST HIS LIFE

Firemen Were About to Rescue Hart

NEW YORK, Jan. 15. As the firemen were about to rescue him, John A. Hart, an insurance agent who lived on the top floor of the four-story apartment house at [illegible] West 26th street, which was destroyed by fire early yesterday, was overwhelmed by the flames and burned to death. Before he was overcome, Hart had saved his wife and four-year-old son whom he handed out the windows to the firemen.

PERSONALS

Mr. Joseph Mason entertained a party of 40 of his friends at the home of his [illegible], Mr. Joel [illegible] of London street, Saturday night. Refreshments were served and at an opportune time Mr. Albert Mason on behalf of the party presented Mr. Mason a handsome gold watch-chain and charm, to which he responded in a fitting manner.

Rev. Benjamin Wilmott, who has accepted the pastorate of the First Congregational church, is at present the guest of Deacon J. P. Rexford, 167 School street.

Mrs. Mary P. Folsom is confined by illness to her apartments at 290 East Merrimack street.

POSTAL CLERKS.

Lowell Branch, No. 36, United National Association of Post-office Clerks, held its regular meeting in Elks' hall in Middle street yesterday afternoon and officers were elected for the ensuing year, as follows:

President, John H. Farrell; vice-president, George H. Gurney; secretary, John F. Burns; treasurer, John J. Murphy, first; board of trustees, James A. Shore, Hiram C. Gordon and William M. Burns.

PRAISED BY POPE

Bishop O'Connell in Private Audience

ROME, Jan. 15. Bishop William H. O'Connell of Portland, Me., the special envoy of the pope to the emperor of Japan, was received in private audience by his holiness yesterday.

The audience lasted for an hour, during which the bishop made a verbal report of the results of his mission. The pope expressed his great satisfaction, and said that if all American envoys did their work as well they would be among the first diplomats of the world.

The bishop speaks confidently of the future progress of Catholicism in Japan.

CRICKET LEAGUE

TO HOLD FIRST MEETING ON JANUARY 27.

President C. C. Hosford of the State Cricket league, has called the first meeting of the delegates for Saturday, Jan. 27. Important business is scheduled for the meeting and a full representative gathering is expected.

The committee on by-laws which met in Boston on Saturday last and consisted of Williams of the Mohawks, Mills of Billerica, Devlin of East Boston, Dixon of Everett and Roffe of Boston, will report a new constitution and set of rules which will greatly assist the management during the present administration, provided they are adopted. Each delegate will be requested to attend with full power.

The meeting will be held in the American house at 3 o'clock sharp.

Arrangements have been completed for the second annual party of the A. G. Pollard & Co. office, to take place the middle of next month.

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14,829

Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1906. JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞ This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞ An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE-THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

ANNEX THE TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

THE MUTUAL INTERESTS OF TEWKSBURY AND LOWELL DEMAND THE ANNEXATION OF THE ENTIRE TOWN OF TEWKSBURY. THE TOWN WANTS CITY PRIVILEGES AND LOWELL WANTS ROOM FOR FUTURE EXPANSION. WE HAVE BUILT UP TO THE TEWKSBURY LINE SO THAT OUR GROWTH IN THAT DIRECTION MUST STOP UNLESS WE ANNEX NEW TERRITORY. WITHOUT NEW TERRITORY CONGESTION WILL FOLLOW TO THE INJURY OF OUR CITY AND OUR PEOPLE.

ANNEXATION WOULD START A BOOM THAT WOULD GREATLY ADVANCE THE PRICE OF REAL ESTATE IN TEWKSBURY AND IN TIME FORM A SOURCE OF REVENUE THAT WOULD FULLY COMPENSATE US FOR SUPPLYING THE TOWN WITH OUR WATER SERVICE, WITH POLICE AND FIRE PROTECTION, SCHOOLS, SEWERS AND STREET IMPROVEMENTS. WERE TEWKSBURY ANNEXED THE GROWTH IN THAT DIRECTION WOULD BE SO RAPID THAT ATHERTON AND WIGGINVILLE WOULD SOON BE THE CENTRES OF THRIVING RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS IN WHICH NEW INDUSTRIES WOULD RISE TO GIVE READY EMPLOYMENT TO THE PEOPLE IN THE VICINITY. IT SEEMS, THEREFORE, THAT THE PUBLIC SPIRITED MEN OF BOTH CITY AND TOWN SHOULD PUSH THE MOVEMENT TO MAKE TEWKSBURY PART AND PARCEL OF OUR CITY.

The papers are saying that Oil King Rogers is in danger of a prison cell; but according to the statement of Congressman Bourke Cockran all the legal machinery in this land cannot put the owner of $10,000,000 in any jail in the country. Cockran is probably right. Rogers is not going to jail.

VICTORY AHEAD.

That was an eloquent argument which Congressman McCall made in favor of tariff revision as demanded by Massachusetts. He does not believe the tariff schedules should be cast-iron affairs, but that on the contrary they should be changed to meet the ever changing conditions. The standpatters are getting shaky in their position. The forces of truth and right are gathering around the standards of Massachusetts with the assurance that in the end she will win a signal victory as she always does in such matters.

THE ANNEXATION QUESTION.

The sentiment in favor of annexation of Tewksbury is steadily growing, not only in Tewksbury but in this city. Neighborhood meetings are being held in Tewksbury to discuss the matter, and in Lowell very little opposition is heard. It is now proposed that the question shall be put in the warrant for the town meeting of Tewksbury, and that would be a very good idea if the proposition could be fairly presented at the meeting. It would be a serious blow to the movement, however, should the town meeting vote against the broad question of annexation. The residents have not been sufficiently enlightened on the question to act intelligently upon it at a town meeting.

To bring the matter to public attention in Lowell and to secure the views of both sides the aldermen should declare a public hearing at which the arguments pro and con could be advanced.

PROPOSITION TO PENSION TEACHERS.

The state board of education recommends the pensioning of teachers on retirement at a certain age. At first the proposition may seem extravagant and unwarranted, but when we consider that England pensions her teachers on arrival at a certain age, the scheme should not meet with general opposition here.

Dr. Osler would chloroform most people on reaching the age of 65. We would grant them a pension instead and let them end their lives in peace, if conditions were favorable and the necessary funds available. We assume that one of the reasons why the state board has suggested pensions for teachers is to avoid the necessity of retiring aged teachers who wish to work on until they die in the harness. When a teacher reaches the age of sixty and in some cases earlier, he or she should be superannuated with or without a pension. The schools suffer by retention of teachers after their usefulness has passed. The pension system is one way of getting rid of them. If that cannot be adopted there should be some via media between that and the Osler method.

THE CANAL COMMISSION ON THE RACK.

Poultney Bigelow has put the Panama canal commission on the rack. Secretary Taft is out with a voluminous letter replying to Mr. Bigelow and in his (Mr. Taft's) opinion refuting, in detail Mr. Bigelow's charges.

If the charges are true it is well that they were made and if untrue they will do no harm. On the contrary they are likely to do good as having placed the commission on its mettle.

The fact that Secretary Taft has replied in a public document at great length shows how hard Mr. Bigelow hit the commission as a whole and the secretary himself individually. The president at once called for a refutal from Secretary of War Taft and the reply is as big as the annual report of the war department.

If the president and Mr. Taft are so sensitive to criticism in regard to the canal commission and its work, they will probably have good reason to complain before the work shall have been well begun.

There is no doubt whatever that the conditions in Panama have been painted much better than they are in order to induce laborers and others to go there. That being so it is an easy matter for any correspondent to show up the misrepresentations. Mr. Bigelow has done this but he has done more. The only thing that weakens his charges is that he did not remain long enough on the island to see for himself so that he could speak from personal observation or even verify the stories told him by residents against the administration.

BANKER CAUGHT

Was Arrested for the Boston Police

[illegible] Attelio Crisafulli [illegible] of the firm of Crisafulli & [illegible] which conducted the bank [illegible] at 221 North street [illegible] yesterday in New York at the instigation of the Boston police charged with grand larceny.

It is [illegible] that the arrested man, [illegible] partner at New York, was implicated in the disappearance of [illegible] deposits.

[illegible] went out of existence [illegible] and coincident with [illegible] of the bank the junior [illegible] took his departure.

[illegible] was an adjunct to a grocery [illegible] opened six [illegible] and, contrary to the law passed [illegible] compelling a house [illegible] in banking to give bonds for [illegible] began to take the hard earned money of some of the Italians in the district.

In about six months he did a land office business, and he also sold bonds and drafts for the purpose of being sent to Italy, where the old folks were crying for funds.

This system of drafts was responsible for the discontinuance of the bank, and the clamorous depositors went to Lawyer Joseph T. Zottoli and aired their trouble. After listening to their story he became satisfied that everything was not right so he applied to the court for a warrant.

Previous to the issue of the warrant, Crisafulli, the New York partner, heard that the bank was closed and, as he told, he came over to investigate. With a sheriff he went into the office, broke open the safe and found only books. Nothing was discovered that would lead to the whereabouts of the missing partner.

The presence of Crisafulli in the city became known to many of the depositors, and that evening a score of them corralled him at the house where he was stopping and tried to get a writ to restrain him from leaving the city, but he left for New York before the writ could be served.

FATHER AT 82

BABY BORN TO MR. AND MRS. KOPKE.

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—At the age of 82, Edward Augustus Kopke became the father of a baby boy, born a few days ago at 18 Spring street, Cambridge. The other children of his present family are Edward, 20 years of age, Martha 17, Hilda 16 and Laura 7.

Mr. Kopke is a native of Oporto, Portugal. He is an unusually well educated man who speaks six languages. In early life he was a civil engineer, and the owner of a large foundry in Oporto. He married at the age of 21 and had two daughters. After his first wife died things went badly with him and he lost his business and most of his wealth.

Twenty-one years ago he married again, his wife being only 15 years of age. Several years ago Mr. Kopke retired from active business.

AFTER 53 YEARS

GIRL CHUMS MET IN ATTLEBORO YESTERDAY.

ATTLEBORO, Jan. 15.—There was a reunion in Attleboro yesterday of two women who were schoolmates 53 years ago, who had not met each other since. The parties are Mrs. Jennie Eaton of Malden and Mrs. Daniel H. Smith of this town.

Both women were born in Surrey, N. H., 71 years ago, their ages being the same almost to a day. They grew up together as children, attending the same schools. Throughout the neighborhood the girls were known as the "inseparable twins."

After their marriage the girls drifted apart. Most of the time Mrs. Smith has lived in Attleboro with her husband, and not long ago the couple celebrated their golden wedding. Mrs. Eaton took up her residence in Malden.

Recently Mrs. Eaton learned of Mrs. Smith's residence in Attleboro and decided to renew the acquaintance of olden time.

DIED OF JOY

MOTHER HEARD SON WAS GOING TO VISIT HER.

DERBY, Conn., Jan. 15.—Representative George F. Clarke of this city returned yesterday from Sheffield, Eng., where he went expecting to pass the holidays with his parents, whom he had not seen in 30 years. The news of his coming was kept from the mother until the day before his arrival, when his father told her. She gave an exclamation of joy and then fell to the floor dead.

MR. WHEELOCK

IS READY TO PUT UP A MODERN STRUCTURE.

Andrew C. Wheelock, the owner of the building in upper Merrimack street which has been condemned by Supt. O'Connor of the lands and buildings department, would like to make some arrangement with the superintendent whereby he could repair the building until the spring, at which time, he says, he would be willing to tear down the building and build a modern structure.

He has had men at work during the past week repairing the wooden building next to the condemned one.

Supt. O'Connor, however, states that the brick building cannot be repaired and must be torn down. Mr. Wheelock's reason for wanting to wait until the spring to tear down the building is that it would be more advantageous than at the present time.

MAD DOGS

CAUSE [illegible] PANIC IN TEN TOWNS.

GREAT BARRINGTON, Jan. 15.—Ten towns of [illegible] locality are in the terror of a [illegible] covering several days past, [illegible] one woman and a boy have been bitten and are now in a dangerous condition, and several other persons [illegible] severely bitten by some one of the dogs, supposed to be affected with [illegible]. Posses of police have sought the dogs, two of which have been [illegible] the third is yet at large.

ATTACKS TARIFF

Revision Needed at Once Says Douglas

BROCKTON, Jan. 15.—Former Governor William L. Douglas issued a statement today declaring himself unreservedly in favor of immediate revision of the tariff, and stating that the interests of Massachusetts demand the admission, duty free, of hides, sole leather, coal, lumber, iron ore, and wood pulp.

Mr. Douglas devoted the principal part of his statement to the probable effect of tariff revision on the branch of industry in which he is engaged—the manufacture of shoes. He said in part:

"The total value of the product of the shoe industry in Massachusetts for 1904 was $166,709,642, which is considerably more than half the total product of the country, which for the year 1905 is estimated at $314,000,000.

"With free hides free sole leather and free coal, I believe the shoe manufacturers of Massachusetts could show an increase in their export trade equal to 25 per cent of the present product, which would be $41,427,410.

"As a manufacturer I ask for a revised tariff. I would gladly give up the duty of 25 per cent on shoes for free raw materials. I will go farther than this and say that I would exchange the duty on shoes for free hides and sole leather.

"If the handicap of taxed leather were taken away, I could manufacture shoes as cheaply as any foreign manufacturer, and could safely meet the competition of the world.

"We are held back, however, by the high cost of materials that enter into our product. Give our manufacturers free raw materials and they will carry Massachusetts goods into every market of the world.

"Sole leather costs 40 per cent more now than it did in 1897. Most of the leathers used in the top of shoes have increased but 10 per cent.

"Manufacturers have been able to overcome this great increase in cost of raw materials by the improvement in machinery, change of method in manufacture and by doing a larger volume of business at a lower percentage of profit.

"But now we have reached our limit. Today shoe manufacturers cannot reduce the cost of labor or the cost of materials, and they cannot take a smaller profit and remain in business.

"We must secure relief by the repeal of the duty on sole leather. Failing in this we must increase the price of shoes or make them of less value for the money now paid by the wearer."

BURGLARS

ENTERED THE ELIOT HOSPITAL IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—It became known last night that the Eliot private hospital, at 78 Commonwealth avenue, one of the best and most expensive hospitals in the state, had been entered by burglars and articles stolen valued at about $200.

The only clew the police have is a more or less accurate description of one suspicious looking man seen in the vicinity the night the burglary was committed.

The burglary was reported to Captain Donovan early Friday morning, with the request that it be kept quiet.

The burglar climbed through a window from a narrow lane.

The room entered was occupied by Edwin L. King, who is a temporary visitor at the house, but not a patient. In his quarters were a gold watch and a fob, a camera, a coat, shirts and other clothing. The burglar took all he could lay his hands on. He did not disturb Mr. King or any of the patients, many of whom are critically ill.

"We do not suspect anybody in the house," it was said at the hospital last night, "and there are few in the building who know that any thief was here. Some of our patients are critically ill and we are glad there was no excitement."

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When We "CLEAN-HOUSE"

we try to do it effectively and good merchandise goes into a sale with slight regard for what we paid for it.

An Instance

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GEN'L DALTON

Is Suffering From Mental Collapse

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—Gen. Dalton wouldn't be able to understand what you might say to him," were the words with which a reporter was answered when he sought an interview with the former adjutant-general of the Massachusetts militia yesterday at the sanatorium where he is seeking relief from a serious mental and nervous trouble.

Gen. Dalton's present condition is believed by his friends to be one of the consequences of the complications in the affairs of the Provident Securities & Banking company of which he was president during the strenuous days when Charles D. Gurley was the "man behind the throne."

For some time past the ex-adjutant general has suffered from an organic trouble and the worry which was entailed upon him when the troubles of the Provident company approached a crisis found him illy able to meet the strain. Since the scandal first appeared in the newspapers Gen. Dalton has been in retirement, and every effort to obtain a statement from him has failed. It was known to most of his friends that he was suffering severely in consequence of the scandal, but it will be news to most of them that his condition is as serious as at present it appears to be.

When a reporter asked at the sanatorium yesterday if Gen. Dalton was there the reply was:

"Yes, but you cannot see him."

"Can't he able to see visitors?"

"No, not at all. The doctors order that none but his most intimate friends shall visit him, and even they are not to do so often."

"Is he able to be up and about?"

"Yes, physically he is fairly vigorous, but mentally he is ill. He wouldn't be able to understand anything you might talk with him about."

Gen. Dalton, though by no means a well man, was able to be about town as late as four weeks ago, and his mental collapse came about simultaneously with the collapse of the concern with which he had been identified as president.

IS UNDER ARREST

Man Had Made Complaint of Larceny

BURLINGTON, Vt., Jan. 15.—As the result of an investigation yesterday of an alleged attempt at burglary on the premises of F. Ganyeau, the complainant himself was arrested charged with having in his possession unlawfully, property of the U. S. army, and with the illegal sale of liquor.

Ganyeau was aroused yesterday morning, he claims, by the noise of men trying to break into his house which is situated on the edge of the government reservation at Fort Ethan Allen. He fired a gun in the air and a moment later saw three soldiers running away. He reported the matter to the officers at the fort, and an investigation was begun by a squad of soldiers under the command of Captain Henry C. Smithers. The latter officer noticed considerable government property in Ganyeau's house and he made a thorough search of the place and seized all articles known to be army property, including uniforms, belts, accoutrements for the horses and a large quantity of oil. Capt. Smithers then placed Ganyeau under arrest.

During his search the officer also discovered a large quantity of liquor and he notified the county authorities who also brought charges against Ganyeau. Ganyeau claims that the goods seized by the military officials belonged to non-commissioned officers who had used his house for a club room. Ganyeau has long been suspected of selling liquor to the soldiers.

Two soldiers were later arrested charged with the burglary of Ganyeau's house.

FOR CAMBRIDGE POLICE.

Inspector Maher and Officer Bumps, Saturday evening, arrested John E. Farrell of Cambridge for the Cambridge police. Farrell is wanted for larceny. He was taken to Cambridge yesterday afternoon.

HOUSE BURNED

While Family Was at Funeral

HYDE PARK, Jan. 15.—The old saying that "misfortunes never come singly," was forcibly illustrated in the home of the Firstein family, which lives at 7 Poydras street.

Last Friday morning the husband and father, Adler Firstein, was killed on the tracks of the Midland division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad, close by East River street station. The accident happened within 300 feet of his home, which he had just left, and was witnessed by his wife and children, who were standing at the front door of the house bidding him goodby as he started out for his day's work.

His funeral took place yesterday morning, and at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, while the interment was taking place at the cemetery in Dedham, the house took fire and was partially destroyed. The alarm was rung in from box 48 and the department had a long and hard run through the snow to the house, more than a mile away.

The fire started on the second floor and was caused by an overheated stove. When the funeral party left the house, fresh coal was put on the fire, the drafts of the stove were left open and a boy cautioned to look out for it.

The upper part of the house was gutted and the roof partially burned, causing a loss on the building of about $800, insured for $1500. The loss on the household effects was about $300, insured for $500.

WAR WAGED

AGAINST THE RACE TRACK AT SALEM.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 15.—Pres. William J. Tucker of Dartmouth college and Ex-U. S. Dist. Atty. Oliver L. Branch of Manchester were speakers at a largely attended mass meeting conducted by the Manchester ministerial association, to register a protest against the invasion of New Hampshire by the New England breeders' club, which was granted an exclusive charter at the last session of the legislature.

Both speakers came out strongly in favor of a special session of the legislature for the purpose of repealing the charter or the enactment of rigid anti-gambling laws, if the state supreme court does not hand down a decision that there is law enough to prevent pool selling.

Pres. Edmund F. Higgins of the Manchester board of trade, presided at the meeting and a score of Manchester ministers, lawyers and prominent citizens had seats on the platform.

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BEAUPRE' DEAD

Springfield Man Fatally Assaulted

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Jan. 15.—Peter Beaupre, a hostler and night watchman at the C. S. Reed coal pocket, corner of Eastern avenue and Logan street, died yesterday afternoon in Springfield hospital as the result of an assault committed during Saturday night. At a late hour last night the police had secured no good clews to the murderer.

A REWARD

FOR CAPTURE OF TRAIN WRECKERS.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Jan. 15.—The B. & M. railroad has offered a reward of $1000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who tampered with the switches and tracks at Walloomsac January 6 and caused the derailment and wreck of a passenger train.

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ANNUAL REPORTS

Of First Trinitarian Church Read

HIGH TRIBUTE TO REV. MR. WILMOTT

Notes From the Pulpit Utterances Yesterday

Yesterday was a great day for the First Trinitarian Congregational church. It marked the 75th anniversary of the pastorate of the Rev. George F. Kennott, who preached an interesting sermon on "The Ancient Survey."

In the morning Mr. Kennott made his annual report and in the evening the officers and committees reported. The reports showed that all running expenses have been met and there has been a healthy reduction in the church debt.

The present membership of the church is 761; 220 males and 541 females.

The members who died during the year were: Mrs. Mary W. Coolidge, aged 75 years, died Feb. 9, 1905; Mrs. Hannah M. Gilman, aged 72 years, died Aug. 2, 1905; Frank G. Johnson, aged 42 years, died Sept. 4, 1905; George R. Bleakley, died Sept. 4, 1905; Mrs. Helen Hillman, aged 30 years, died Oct. 22, 1905; Mrs. Sybil D. Parsons, aged 78 years, died Nov. 19, 1905; Linton E. Perry, (not reported in 1904) aged 20 years, died May 10, 1904.

The treasurer's report concludes as follows:

"We close the year 1905 with all bills paid, with a surplus of $702.98 and with the church debt reduced to $6,500."

Y. M. C. A. MEETING.

The Y. M. C. A. men's meeting yesterday afternoon was addressed by Rev. Tilman B. Johnson of Dorchester. He had for his subject "A Young Man's Glory." He said in part:

"Nothing is too good for God. Music, art, architecture, in everything we should give Him the best. We need to become more wise. Preachers, teachers and citizens, who cease to grow wise will soon cease to live. There is no excuse for ignorance in the world today with all the art, literature and science. We should have divine and human character blended into one, making a glory of manhood. We should have glory of manhood; build it pure, clean and sound. It is better to be something than to have something. One of the best mottoes I have seen is, 'To lose wealth is to lose nothing; to lose health is to lose something; to lose character is to lose all.' It is the royal character within the bosom that makes you a man.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

"One for a Thousand" was Dr. Wallace's sermon subject at the First Baptist church Sunday morning and in the evening he preached on the subject, "One for One."

"The gospel I preach," said Dr. Wallace, "is that every Christian should be an evangelist."

FIRST CONG. CHURCH.

The annual reports of the First Congregational church were read after the evening service, Sunday.

The treasurer's report showed that the total receipts for the year were $1230.24; disbursements $1229.54; balance on hand, $40.17.

Mr. Cutler reported for the Sunday school. The total membership is 408, average attendance for the year 168.22.

Deacon J. H. Kimball reported on the state of the church and Mrs. Arthur Bartlett reported for the Maternal Association. The Women's Missionary Society was reported by Mrs. W. H. Thayer. The society has turned more than $100 into the treasury of the Andover and Woburn branches, besides other contributions to mission work.

Deacon Liddell read a letter from the church at Townsend, containing resolutions on the removal of Rev. Benjamin A. Wilmott, who has accepted the pastorate of the First church here.

The resolutions paid a very high tribute to Rev. Mr. Wilmott as an ideal pastor.

THE AMERICAN WOMAN.

At the Westminster Presbyterian church yesterday Rev. A. P. Gibson preached on "The Home." He said the trouble today is that American women give their time too much to social life, pleasure and business, to the club, society, and the mart; and turn their children's training over too much to the hired nurse, the kindergarten and the school. Good as these agencies are, he said they can never be superseded by the training of the parents, especially a good mother's influence. The home is not merely for display. It is for the drilling of the boys and girls for life. The Christian home is the bulwark of the nation.

HE SAID GOOD BYE.

Rev. Robert F. True severed his pastorate at the Immanuel Baptist church with the evening service last night. In the morning he preached on the topic "Hands of Blessing," and in the evening his topic, "The Heroes of the Daily Task," was based upon the text, "They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength," Isaiah 40.31. At the close of the sermon Mr. True spoke about the four years of his pastorate, what the church had accomplished in that time, and he made reference to the friendly relations that had always existed between pastor and people.

HIGHLAND M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. B. F. Kingsley preached on the topic "Weighed in the Balance," at the Highland Methodist church last evening. There was special music consisting of an Alleluia anthem, with solos by Miss Rose Wright and Miss Ethel Roy; a duet, "The Handwriting on the Wall," by the pastor and his wife; a solo, "God is Weighing You, My Brother," by Miss Mabelle Fay Kingsley, and selections by the orchestra.

FRED LAKE

NOT TO COACH THE HARVARD TEAM.

According to Coach Coburn of the Harvard nine, Fred Lake has not been hired to coach the Crimson baseball players this spring. The story published yesterday morning was shown to Mr. Coburn, who promptly denied its accuracy.

POLICE SEARCH

For Chinaman and His White Wife

PITTSBURG, Penn., Jan. 13—Yee Sing Lee, the Chinese gambler, who eloped to Newport with Mr. Saturday with pretty Miss Maverle Humphreys, is in hiding with his bride in Allegheny, and all efforts on the part of the police to find them have been unavailing.

The women's friends have asked that the police locate the couple, but that any charge can be made against them has not been filed. They can be reached if wanted.

The police are investigating the past of the Chinaman and it is found that he was married before to a woman in Boston, he will be arrested and charged with perjury and bigamy.

It is thought that Lee and his white bride have already reached [illegible] and died.

Local Chinamen [illegible] their power to [illegible] all in [illegible] declare that Lee was driven [illegible] San Fran-

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[illegible]

WANTED

WANTED—Second hand furniture, rolled top desks, show cases, etc. We pay the highest cash price. F. S. Edward, 93 Fletcher st., Lower Lowell.

WANTED 200 feet second-hand link fence, state price, where it is. B. H. 17, Sun.

WANTED—Children to board in the country. Desirable home, terms reasonable. Address Nelson, R. F. D., Hillerica Centre.

WANTED A loan of $200. Good security, first mortgage. Address P. O. Box 1077, City.

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SATURDAY NIGHT CLERKS are invited to lunch at Corey's, 43 Prescott st. Service neat and quick.

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BOARDERS WANTED—Pensioners, both male and female, good home for winter, on line of electric, a few miles out. Address D. L. T. 65 Merrimack st., Lowell, Care H. C. Wilder.

WANTED—Everybody to try one dollar's worth of our dry hard wood kindlings. Wm. K. Aldrich Co., 589 Dutton st.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line, take Boston car.

SITUATIONS WANTED

AMERICAN LADY wants a situation as housekeeper for a widower. Call No. 6 Manahan st.

SITUATION WANTED by a young man who speaks English and Greek, has good references. Louis Aniotis, 52 Fenwick st.

DRESSMAKER and tailoress, first-class, would work in private families, will also take sewing home if more convenient. Mrs. D. Mack removed to 5 Osgood st.

EXPERIENCED lady stenographer wants a situation, would do bookkeeping and general office work. Address O. D., Sun Office.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—1 thoroughbred barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, $2 to $3 each. Reliable Poultry Yards, Elsmere.

FOR SALE—Rolled Corn and Hominy business, must be sold as I have other business. Apply at 1453 Gorham st.

FOR SALE—Spanish poodle pups at 224 Thorndike st.

FOR SALE—An excellent variety store situated on one of the principal streets. Doing a good business. Clean nice stock of groceries, tobaccos, cigars, candy, dry goods, small wares, threads, silks, notions, etc. Excellent fixtures. A nice 5-room cottage connected with the store. Rent is low. Must be sold by January 27th as owner is sick and must leave the store. Price if sold on or before that time is $500. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

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P. COGGER, the truck man, 433 Riverside st., has purchased a lot of dry wood, hard and soft, which he will sell at the lowest prices. This wood must be sold at once in order to make work for his men and teams. Order at once. Telephone.

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LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGE [illegible]

By virtue of a [illegible] contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Thomas C. [illegible] to Rhoda P. Coburn, dated [illegible] and recorded with Middlesex South Registry of Deeds, book [illegible] for breach of the conditions [illegible] said mortgage deed I will sell at public auction on the premises [illegible] the first day of February [illegible] at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and [illegible] the premises hereinafter described.

A certain lot of [illegible] situated in said Lowell, described [illegible] down on a plan of land [illegible] in Lowell surveyed [illegible] Coburn, April, 1886, August [illegible] recorded and described as follows: [illegible] fronting on the westerly side of [illegible] street at the northwesterly [illegible] premises at a point which [illegible] and fifty-eight feet distant [illegible] from the southeasterly corner of land of one Evans and at the southeasterly corner of other land belonging to [illegible] of H. A. & S. A. Coburn; thence westerly along said last named land 100 feet to a corner; thence northerly along said last named land, 158 feet to a wall at land of said Evans, thence westerly along the wall and by said Evans land 307.8 feet to a corner of the wall, thence northerly along said last named land, and by the wall, 93.90 feet to a stone bound at land of one Walsh; thence northeasterly along said last named land and at an angle of 89 deg. 0 min. 50.40 feet to a stone bound at land formerly of one Jenness; thence southerly at an angle of 94 deg. 11 min. along said last named land, 452 feet to a stone bound at land of one Parker; thence easterly along said last named land, 217.8 feet to a stone bound, thence southerly and southeasterly along said Parker land, and along land of one Jenness and one Twiss, 521.6 feet to a stone bound at land of one Kilpatrick, at a corner of the wall; thence easterly at an angle of 91 deg. 29 min. along said Kilpatrick land, and by the wall, 85.58 feet to a bound at said Stevens st.; thence at an angle of 86 deg. 22 min. northerly along said Stevens street, 188.42 feet to a bound at the point of beginning. Containing 17 and 256-100 acres, more or less. Saving and excepting out of the above description any and all lots of land which have heretofore been released from this mortgage.

Purchaser will be required to deposit with or secure to the auctioneer fifty dollars when property is struck off. Other terms made known at time and place of sale.

CALEB L. SMITH,
Executor of Rhoda P. Coburn.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law and all persons interested in the estate of Michael Duffy, late of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, testate.

Whereas, Bridget Duffy, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented her petition for authority to mortgage certain real estate therein described, of the estate of said deceased, to raise the sum of three hundred dollars, for the purposes of paying the allowance to herself as widow.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the sixteenth day of January A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary O'Toole, late of Billerica, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court, for probate, by Edward O'Toole, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the sixteenth day of January A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

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LEGAL NOTICES

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Ethel F. Hayward of Lowell in said County, that she was lawfully married to William Hayward, now of parts unknown, on the [illegible] day of September, A. D. 1900, and that the said William wrongfully deserted the libellant on or about the twelfth day of November, A. D. [illegible] and has ever since continued to desert the libellant, and that said desertion has continued for more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said William; and that your libellant may be restored to her maiden name of Ethel F. Mayhew.

Dated this tenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

ETHEL F. HAYWARD.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, January 11, A. D. 1906.

Upon the libel aforesaid it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of February next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

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WANTED—A clean girl at 18 Lee st.

WANTED—Experienced chambermaid. New American Hotel.

WANTED—A good man to work [illegible] steady job for a [illegible] Apply at Hildreth st.

WANTED—Men and girls at American Woolen and West Adams.

WANTED—A young gentleman of fair education for office work. Must be willing to work for first six months for $7 per week, payable [illegible] Address [illegible] Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Family of 3. 7 Fort Hill Ave.

WANTED—At once, two house girls, one girls and cooks at the Bay State Employment Office, Room 506, Bay State Building, Lawrence, Mass.

GOOD PAY to men everywhere to tack advertising signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc. Conveyancing. Universal Adv. Co., [illegible]

WANTED—A kitchen girl at once. 24 Worthen st.

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RAILWAY MAN To sell life insurance on salary or commission. Write A. [illegible] Cleveland, Ohio.

YOUNG MEN FOR [illegible] energetic [illegible] to work in a clean, light, non-[illegible] office. Good wages to right parties. Address P. M. Vawter, care The Sun, Lowell, Mass.

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WANTED—Men with teams to haul logs and lumber. Address Merrill Lumber & Forestry Co., South Stratford, N. H.

TABLE GIRL wanted at once. Merrimac House.

WANTED—A girl for general housework, must be capable and obliging. 251 Central st.

WANTED—Girl between 14 and 16 to help mind baby in Belvidere and go home nights. Apply A. L. T., Sun Office.

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MME. AURAN, [illegible] Bridge st. Private readings at [illegible]

NEW SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT—We have [illegible] which we give away with [illegible] and fresh roasted coffee. [illegible] Fox Bros., 88 Merrimack st.

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LOST—A lady's sable fox muff Saturday night on Merrimack st. or in the department stores. Suitable reward at the Sun Office.

FOUND—A bunch of keys on Merrimack st., Saturday night. Inquire Mr. James Newton, 48 Adams st.

LOST—Small gold locket with letter "C" engraved on one side. Return to A. R. Campbell, 97 Middlesex st. for reward.

LOST—A wagon tire of rubber, between post office and Pleasant st. school. Finder return to O. P. Davis' stable and receive reward.

FOUND—A fountain pen which the owner can have by giving correct description and paying for this ad. Call at 50 C st. before 5 o'clock p. m.

LOST—A dull gold, heart-shaped locket, with small photo inside, on Cross or Fletcher sts. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to M. Kennedy, 20 Adams st.

TO LET

TO LET—Elegant furnished rooms, centrally located, steam heat, modern conveniences. Connected rooms or single. 56 West Sixth st.

TO LET—Store and two rooms in connection with same. Would make good place for a variety store or dressmaker. Is convenient for almost any kind of business in good paying location. Inquire 27 Fairmount st.

TO LET—A 6 room tenement, $9 per month. 132 Fayette st. Buy at 175 East Merrimack st.

TO LET—A good tenement at a low rent at 23 Austin st., everything separate.

TO LET—Tenement of 3 rooms and pantry, cool low. Inquire 23 Sydney st.

TO LET—A nice clean, newly painted tenement of 3 rooms and sink for $1.25 a week. Reference requested. Inquire at 22 Jewett st.

TO LET—A house and barn at 35 Coggshall st.

TO LET on Bridge st., tenement of 8 rooms, good locality for roomers. Apply Henry Miller & Son, 2 Wyman's Exchange.

TO LET—In new block, flats, 5 rooms each, bath and pantry, hot and cold water, set tubs, open plumbing. Inquire 44 Whipple st.

TO LET—A barn on Middlesex street for $5 per month. Will change to suit tenant. Good place for storage of any kind. Buy at once. Lucius G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

TO LET—A 7 room cottage in Barclay st., near Westford, house is in best of repair, connected with city water, 15 cent location, near the street cars and schools. This house will be vacant Jan. 27, rent $11 per month. First come, first served. Apply at once. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

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FOR SALE—In the Highlands, house of nine rooms. Will be sold low as owner has left the city. Apply Henry Miller & Son, 2 Wyman's Exchange.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.45	6.50	6.00	7.14
6.25	7.40	6.50	7.24
6.59	7.51	7.54	8.51
6.47	7.52	8.15	8.55
7.01	8.02	9.00	9.45
7.21	8.55	10.50	10.37
7.31	8.50	10.27	11.32
7.49	8.55	11.33	12.07
8.02	8.55	12.05	12.56
8.42	9.30	1.00	1.37
9.32	10.19	2.00	3.05
11.07	12.02	3.00	3.57
11.38	12.19	3.47	5.00
12.32	1.00	4.14	5.05
1.40	2.25	5.09	5.57
2.51	3.18	[illegible]	6.21
3.47	4.30	6.47	6.54
4.28	5.20	6.14	[illegible]
5.22	6.15	[illegible]	8.05
5.49	7.00	8.31	[illegible]
6.12	6.55	10.30	11.24
7.21	8.15	11.20	12.21

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.35	7.30	8.31
8.00	8.24	9.25	10.34
9.25	10.09	10.15	11.45
10.54	11.55	11.30	1.05
12.07	1.32	2.15	3.15
12.47	1.45	[illegible]	4.50
2.25	3.22	4.15	5.50
3.10	4.05	[illegible]	7.02
3.55	5.00	4.35	7.45
5.00	6.40	9.40	10.55
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[illegible]	[illegible]		
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SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.50	7.37	9.00	10.02
7.21	8.05	10.20	10.57
8.48	9.40	11.53	12.07
9.24	10.15	1.00	[illegible]
10.51	11.35	5.00	[illegible]
2.20	3.27	7.30	8.06
5.11	6.00	8.35	[illegible]
6.15	6.55	9.00	10.06
7.31	8.35	10.18	[illegible]

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.15	9.25	5.00	[illegible]
12.10	1.25	12.00	[illegible]
3.55	4.50	6.05	6.27
5.55	6.25	8.41	9.25
8.45	9.35		

LOCAL NEWS

Tobin's Printing—Associate Bldg. Tel.

Hire your hacks for funerals or weddings at J. F. O'Donnell & Son's, 224 Market street.

Fresh flowers for all occasions. As we are growers we can guarantee them. McManmon, 6 Prescott street.

Everybody is talking about Corey's 25 cent dinners. You get more for your money than at any place in town at 43 Prescott street, Corey's quick lunch.

Mr. W. H. Ward and daughters of this city are spending the month with his daughter, Mrs. F. S. Pearson in Great Barrington, Mass.

M. Little & Co., 405 Bridge street corner Third, commence a new (the third) business year in their present location today, having taken account of stock and closed up the old year last week. During 1906 the firm will be "on deck" with a larger and better selected stock, and trust to merit the kind patronage of their old customers and to make many new ones by courteous and liberal treatment to all.

DIARIES Lawler's 29 Merrimack st.

NOTICE

TO ORGANIZATIONS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Applications for dates in the new hall of the Mathew Temperance Institute will now be received at the M. T. I. rooms, Mansur block, daily from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. The hall is constructed in conformity with the latest ideas and is calculated to give satisfaction for parties, balls, banquets, etc.

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LABOR PARTY GAINS

The Elections Were Held in London Today

LONDON, Jan. 15. The announcement this afternoon of the re-election of Sir George Doughty, unionist, for Great Grimsby, with a majority of [illegible] and an increase of 250 over the result of the contest in 1895 proved a welcome pick-me-up to the unionists, who were somewhat panicky after Saturday's landslide.

A number of unopposed returns were made this morning, the most notable being Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman in Stirling district, Timothy M. Healy, Irish nationalist, North Louth, and Joseph Devlin, Irish nationalist, North Kilkenny. Including today's returns the results of the elections is as follows:

Liberals 45, unionists 16, Irish nationalists 12, laborites 7.

The independent labor party has thus already secured more seats than it held in the previous house of commons. The laborites when under the dual flag of "Liberal" and "Labor" will be found ranged with the liberals on all labor questions. These early successes of the laborites foreshadowing the presence in the next parliament of a united labor body of considerable strength, form one of the main surprises of the elections thus far. The labor party can be depended upon to take an entirely independent course under the leadership of James Keir Hardie, chairman of the Independent labor party and socialists and liberal member for Merthyr Tydfil, so all the older factions will have to reckon with the laborites hereafter.

There is polling today in twenty-two London districts and forty-eight provincial boroughs, returning in all seventy-eight members [illegible] seventeen Unionists and four Liberal. Yesterday's results, however, [illegible] of [illegible] London [illegible] the lead of Manchester. The most interesting contest will be at [illegible] where there will be a three-cornered struggle, owing to the fact that Mr. Chamberlain insisted on putting up a candidate against Lord Hugh Cecil, the leader of the Conservative free traders. The avowed Chamberlainites are also contesting the Hoxton and Haggerston divisions of Shoreditch. Among the provincial contests today will be that of Leeds where Gerald Balfour, former president of the board of trade, is almost certain to be defeated, he having been badly heckled during the campaign.

FREE TRADE

SCORED A GREAT VICTORY IN SATURDAY'S ELECTION.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—"We have killed protection. This is the beginning of such a political upheaval as has not been seen in England since the days of the great reform bill. Manchester has saved herself by her exertions; she will save England by her example."

Thus spoke Winston Churchill Saturday night, and this opinion that free trade has gained a victory is the opinion of the more responsible of the Unionist passengers, though many of them attempt to explain the result of the elections of Saturday as due more to questions like Chinese labor in South Africa, war taxation, etc. Nowhere, however, is there any hint at minimizing the hurricane that has overtaken the Unionist party or a suggestion of doing anything but beat an orderly retreat and save what is possible from the rout.

The question now uppermost in all minds is what fate will befall Joseph Chamberlain in Birmingham.

The Morning Post editorially points out that the temporary prosperity of the cotton industry may have made Manchester slow to accept even the Balfourian measure of tariff reform. It says that should Birmingham follow the example of Manchester, the meaning of the country's voice would no longer be a matter for the slightest doubt.

The Unionist Graphic in a temperate article says:

"It cannot be doubted that the country was not prepared for such a revolution in its fiscal policy and declined to grasp the subtle distinction between free trade and protection as illustrated by Mr. Balfour's half way house."

The Standard in an editorial thinks that the fear of American reprisals on its staple industry in the event of the adoption of fiscal reform largely influenced the action of the Manchester voters.

The Daily Telegraph says: "The combined forces of radicalism, separatism, socialism and secularism wrought a black day for the Unionists." The paper admits that the main cause is that the country will not sanction any modification of the free trade system."

The Liberal organs naturally are jubilant. The Daily Chronicle says: "It is a result without parallel in the history of English electioneering and will fill every free trader with deep thankfulness."

The Daily News heralds Winston Churchill as "the rising hope of the Liberal party, a man whose career has now become one of the most interesting in the empire."

Mr. Balfour though evidently disappointed at the loss of his seat in Manchester displayed great calmness of demeanor on Saturday night when he delivered an admirably dispassionate and impressive speech. Already the former premier has had several safe seats offered him but as yet he has reached no decision.

Joseph Chamberlain has thus far declined to comment on the result of Saturday's pollings.

Pollings were fixed for yesterday in twenty-one London districts and forty-seven provincial boroughs. The London districts were previously repre-

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BURNED TO DEATH

Two Children Victims of Fire

MAHONOY CITY, Pa., Jan. 15. Two children of Thomas Feely, a fire boss for the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company, were burned to death today in a fire which destroyed Feely's home and the residence of Geo. Campbell at Maple Hill near here.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

"Name some of the world's most famous buildings," said a local history teacher to her class one day this week. "The Parthenon at Athens," said one of the girls. "Correct," said the teacher, "Any others?" "The Tower of London," said another girl. "Very good, Nellie," was the teacher's comment. "Who can name a third?" A bright-faced boy raised his hand. "Yes," said the teacher. "Hathaway's Theatre!" shouted the little fellow. And how could the teacher chide him? She had been to Hathaway's herself and knew that there was cause for his childish enthusiasm. Hathaway's is indeed, already one of the city's famous buildings, and is increasing in popularity every day. The coming show is of a degree of merit that will add to its laurels.

One of the finest of the country's vaudeville attractions will appear in the persons of Edwin Keough and company, who are presenting a delightful sketch, entitled "A Bit of Blarney." This production is a surprise indeed in the opportunities it affords Mr. Keough to give an enjoyable exposition of his well-known versatility as an actor, and cannot fail to be a delight to the lover of clean-cut dramatic acting. The act is magnificently staged and costumed, a carload of special scenery being carried by the company.

Omar Singh, a genuine Hindu yogi, will give an illustration of the mysteries of the Orient in a wonderful and fascinating illusion, entitled "The Flying Lady." By his mystic powers, he causes a beautiful woman to rise from nowhere and float through space at his will. The act has caused a sensation wherever shown in Europe.

An act that is sure to create a veritable riot of laughter all the time it is on the stage is that of W. C. Kelly, the famous monologist. Mr. Kelly's unique specialty is the presentation of a Virginia court, in which he takes the parts of the judge, prisoners and everyone else, with seemingly successful results.

Sensational in the extreme is the number in which Wills and Hassen appear for acrobatic work. Their marvelous hand-balancing is winning applause all over the vaudeville world.

The Italian trio are three male vocalists, all of whom possess well-trained and melodious voices of great power and range. Their grand opera singing will be a treat to everyone with an ear for music. Carter and Bluford are a colored song and dance team whose offering is an unusually good one. They make up as Indians during their act, and carry a special drop curtain for it. Carlisle's dogs and monkeys are famous as one of the best trained animal shows on the road. New vitagraph pictures complete an exceptionally enjoyable bill.

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CATHOLIC FEAST

Of Holy Name Observed Yesterday

IMPOSING SERVICE AT ST. MICHAEL'S

St. Patrick's to be Dedicated June 17

The feast of the Holy Name of Jesus was observed with special services in all of the Catholic churches of the city yesterday, but the observance was particularly impressive at St. Michael's church, Centralville, where the Holy Name society numbers over 500 members and is an active organization. Preparatory to the observance of the feast the members of the society held a three days' retreat which was conducted by Rev. Fr. Shaw, pastor. The members then received communion in a body at the 8 o'clock mass yesterday, Rev. Dennis Murphy singing the mass.

The members of the Holy Name society of Collinsville received communion in a body at the 8.30 o'clock mass in St. Mary's church, Collinsville, Rev. Fr. Mullin, spiritual director of the societies of both churches officiating.

At St. Michael's church, in the evening, solemn vespers were sung during which a reception of new members was held, a sermon was preached by Rev. Leo O'Neil of St. Cecelia's church, Boston and the benediction was given.

Rev. John J. Shaw celebrated vespers and the members of the society attended in a body occupying seats in the centre aisle.

The choir under the direction of James A. Murphy rendered a special musical program of a high order.

The sermon by Rev. Fr. O'Neil was an eloquent effort and in the course of his remarks he said:

"I want to offer my congratulations to the Holy Name Society of St. Michael's church on their splendid showing at this service and also do I wish to congratulate the numerous new members who are this night to be enrolled in its ranks. You who are to become soldiers of Christ and assist in the good work which this society will accomplish, by promoting the glory and honor of our Blessed Lord.

"We know the prevalence of using that holy name in the vilest manner. Why is it? We find no reason for it.

"In fits of anger, men use in vile association the name of Jesus. It is the duty of you members to see to it, as far as possible, that that name be used only in prayer and benediction.

"At our work in the shops and in the mills we should plead with those who use this sacred name with irreverence to desist. This is not all. We must, ourselves, strive to love Christ and embrace the opportunities that each day affords to live like our Blessed Lord.

"How many who profess to be followers of Christ are so in name only? There are a thousand and one things which might cause us, if we allowed them, to draw away from Christ.

"In spiritual matters, as well as in business, the man who has an active, vigorous mind, will live faithful and true and grow in the grace and virtue of our Blessed Lord.

"All of us are not equally gifted to attain the same rank, but we know that there is not one of us who cannot live up to the rulings of the church and thereby receive the wonderful rewards promised us for the future.

"We must be personal lovers of Christ. We must not be Catholics merely in name. We must bring the truth of Christ to ourselves as well as spreading to our neighbors. This is the mission of the Sodality of the Holy Name.

"How can we accomplish this? I find that there is no better way of knowing Christ than by having the gospels of him in one's possession and memorizing them. We should love Christ. Our desire should be to develop his virtues in our souls. To know him well we should study out His life.

"What a pleasure it is, on going on a sick call, to meet with men who can quote from the scripture. When they are on their dying bed, unable to read they have possession, in their hearts, a desire to breathe out their teaching of him in one's possession and memorizing. They realize that Christ is appealing to their souls and they desire to be with him.

"We all have a grand mission in life. Life is sweet, life is precious to us. We grasp all of the opportunities which God offers us; and if we do and live according to God's teachings our reward will be the command from him 'Come ye blessed of the father and receive the rewards which were promised you at the beginning of the world.'"

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

High mass was sung at the usual hour by Rev. John P. Reynolds, O. M. I., and a forcible sermon on the significance of the feast of Holy Name was preached by Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I. At the vesper service the members of the Holy Name society who had received communion in a body at the early mass attended in a body and a reception of new members took place. An eloquent discourse on the Holy Name of Jesus and the evils of profanity was preached by Rev. E. A. Dergan, O. M. I.

The choir, under the direction of Mrs. Hugh Walker, added to the favorable impression which it made a week previous upon its initial appearance under the new directress. The work of the singers yesterday was most pleasing and the new order of things promises to be quite successful. Mrs. Walker presided at the organ yesterday in her usual accomplished manner. A feature of the singing was the rendition of the beautiful Latin hymn "Jesu Dulcis Memoria."

ST. PATRICK'S.

The festival observance at St. Patrick's yesterday was of necessity curtailed. Rev. Fr. McHugh sung low mass at 11 o'clock, the basement being crowded to an uncomfortable degree. For the first time in many weeks there was no singing and the choir was generally missed. It was announced that a special collection will be taken up next Sunday for the new chime of bells now being cast for the belfry of St. Patrick's. The old bells were rendered useless by the fire and beyond recasting, necessitating a new set of bells. Rev. Fr. O'Brien expects that the church will be ready for dedication June 17, 1906.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

The members of the Holy Name society received holy communion in a body at St. Peter's church at 8 o'clock mass which was sung by Rev. Fr. Hefferman. High mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Mullin at 10.30 o'clock and a very eloquent and forceful sermon on "Marriages and Divorce" was preached by Rev. Fr. McDermott. In the evening the reception of members into the Holy Name society was held in connection with vesper service and the members of the Holy Name society occupied seats in the center aisle. Rev. Fr. Burns officiated and a sermon on the Holy Name was preached by Rev. Fr. Hefferman. The choir gave a special musical program.

During the week Rev. Fr. Ronan had as his guests Very Rev. Fr. McGarry of the Catholic University and Rev. James Keegan of Woburn.

TRIDUUM AT ST. JOSEPH'S.

The feast of the Holy Family which falls on next Sunday will be observed with special services in St. Joseph's church. In preparation therefor a triduum, or three days' retreat, will begin on Wednesday and close next Sunday with a reception of new members into the Holy Family sodality. Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., spiritual director of the society, will preach the sermons at the triduum.

MARIST BROTHER ILL.

Rev. Brother Joseph Raphael, an instructor at St. Joseph's college, is critically ill at the Marist residence in Merrimack street. His physicians, Drs. Roy and Lammoureux, give out no hope for his recovery and he has received the last sacraments of the church. He was a teacher of the sixth class and also had special charge of the choir boys of St. Jean Baptiste church.

By a sad coincidence his predecessor as director of the choir boys died here 14 months ago of a similar ailment, weakness of the heart complicated with nervous exhaustion brought on by overwork. Bro. Joseph Raphael is only 28 years of age.

SOUTH LOWELL CHAPEL.

The French residents of South Lowell are going to build a chapel and parochial school. Archbishop Williams has consented to the plan if the residents can show the funds with which to establish the church and schools and the people are now hustling with bright prospects. On Saturday a whist party was held in St. Joseph's hall in behalf of the building fund and it was a grand success.

RETURNED FROM MISSION.

Rev. Fr. Brullard, O. M. I., has returned from Sherbrooke, P. Q., where he had preached a two weeks' mission at the convent of the Holy Family.

AT SOMERVILLE

ST. PETER'S MANDOLIN CLUB WILL PERFORM TONIGHT.

St. Peter's Mandolin and Guitar club of this city will furnish the entertainment at the annual parish reunion of St. Joseph's parish, Somerville, Mass., this evening. They will be accompanied to Somerville by Rev. W. George Mullin, whose brother, Rev. Albert Mullin, is a curate at St. Joseph's.

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